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COMMENCEMENT IN 1947

This year, for the first time in several years, "Class Reunions" were held at Wesleyan at Commencement, and members of these classes were invited to be guests of the college in the dormitories for the festivities. There was an atmosphere of happiness and gaiety that pervaded both campuses as an unusually large class of 108 graduates rounded out the 108th Wesleyan commencement.

Dinner at Conservatory

The first event of Commencement for the alumnae was a dinner given at the conservatory on Friday evening for reunion classes, club representatives, national officers, and members of the Alumnae Building Committee.

Following dinner, the alumnae gathered in the lounge for a brief meeting featuring the presentation of plans by W. Elliott Dunwody, Jr., Macon architect (and husband of Mary Bennett Cox Dunwody, Wesleyan alumna), for the proposed Alumnae Building. A drawing of the exterior design of the building, a replica of the original Wesleyan building, was shown.

Highlight of the club reports was that of Kay (Bailey) Burts, retiring president of the Atlanta Club, who told of the club's sponsorship of three performances of "Alice in Wonderland" by the Wesleyan speech department. From the proceeds of this project, the club presented to Wesleyan \$3,600, the largest single club gift ever made to the college. This money will be used for equipment for the speech department, for scholarships, for the conservatory library, and for the Alumnae Building.

Belle (Ross) Valentine reports for the Macon Club, telling of their sponsorship of the Don Cossack Chorus which cleared \$700 for their scholarship fund.

Ida (Stephens) Mason, president of the Augusta Club, told of their activities and presented a bond for the Alumnae House, proceeds from their silver tea.

Cornelia (Adams) Heath represented the Washington, D. C. Club, Lila May Chapman the Birmingham Club, and Virginia (Scott) Estes the Columbus Club.

Honoring Alleen (Poer) Hinton

At 8:00 o'clock the alumnae assembled in the parlor on the right of the main entrance to the conservatory for a ceremony naming this room in honor of Alleen (Poer) Hinton, alumna and trustee.

A tablet was unveiled with this inscription:

Honoring

Alleen Poer Hinton, A.B. 1912, Trustee, whose devotion to the ideals and traditions of Wesleyan led her to give lavishly of her time and resources to develop its buildings and services for the future which she envisioned for her Alma Mater.

The honoree's two small nieces, Martha and Margaret Alleen Poer of Atlanta, unveiled the tablet. Present for the occasion were Dr. and Mrs. Henry Poer of Atlanta, Mrs. James C. Hinton of Macon, and many friends and college associates, including the faculties of both college and conservatory.

Dr. Silas Johnson presided, and Dr. Edmund F. Cook, for many years a trustee of Wesleyan, gave the following tribute to Mrs. Hinton:

We are honored in honoring one of Wesleyan's truest friends and greatest benefactors. We usually think of a benefactor as one who gives a large sum of money to an institution or movement. But the dictionary says a benefactor is "a friendly helper," "one who performs an act of kindness." On the basis of this definition, I am sure you will agree that we are here to fix in the walls of this building and in the memory of Wesleyan the world over the name of a truly great benefactor of Wesleyan.

How unselfish and sustained the service rendered and how great our obligation, it is hard for you to realize for many of you never saw her on the job of rehabilitating this cherished old home of Wesleyan College's first one hundred years.

This devoted benefactor deserves a monument of enduring marble. But she

is not dead yet. On the contrary she is much alive, possessing the beauty, vivacity and imagination of youth. Maltbie Babcock says: "Life is what we are alive to. It is not length of days, but breadth of soul and clarity of vision." This Wesleyanne is alive to the power and potentiality of the Wesleyan of today. She is alive to the Greater Wesleyan of tomorrow. The depth of her devotion to her Alma Mater and the clarity of her vision of the great and growing Wesleyan of the future led her to dedicate weeks and months and years to the task of making this old building suitable to house The Conservatory of Music and School of Fine Arts and to make it one of the foremost in the nation.

She brought to this task a great diversity of talents; clarity of vision, ardor of devotion, a capacity for work which defied fatigue, a refinement of taste, an appreciation of harmony of colors, a passion for trading, a pawn-broker sense of material values, and an executive ability which was the terror of carpenters, painters, plasterers and plumbers. With these assets of personality and power, believe me, she made things go.

I wish you could have seen this dainty little lady, knee-deep in dust and rubbish in attic and basement, ordering dusky hands to destroy that, put this with things to be sold, take these to the shop to be refinished for use in the college, carefully store this, it is an antique.

Of equal interest is this picture in my mind: our rehabilitator mixing paints or standing over painters, suggesting, directing, mixing until just the right color was secured. This achieved, out she would go to see why the carpenters are so slow, the plumbers lagging on the job. When workmen were all in line and brush and hammer and saw are on the job, away she goes to purchase beautiful things for the parlors, the chapel, the bed rooms, and proper equipment for the dining room and kitchen.

If these pictures were as vivid in your mind as they are in mine, you would understand and appreciate what lies behind the beauty and harmony in the present

appointments of this dear old building and I think a tablet is not adequate. But as I have said, that is as far as we can go now.

She not only toiled to bring to new life the Conservatory, but as an alumna and a trustee and as a member of the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees, our heroine has planned and worked and sacrificed for the progress of Wesleyan.

We are more than happy, therefore, to present this tablet to be now unveiled as a permanent expression of our appreciation of Alleen Poer Hinton and what she means to Wesleyan College and Conservatory.

It is especially appropriate that the veil should be removed by her nieces, Miss Martha Poer and Miss Margaret Alleen Poer.

Mrs. Hinton responded in the following words:

I do want to thank all of you who have come, each of you who has had any part in making this one of the most beautiful, perhaps the most beautiful occasion of my life. I am grateful.

I cannot come to an hour of elation—certainly of inflation—such as this without a conscious sense of obligation to the many others who have helped to achieve the things for which I am receiving credit. There are many of them—many of them are here.

If my part has accomplished anything useful to Wesleyan, anything pleasing to the alumnae, anything of value to the girls who are today or will be tomorrow her students, then I am proud.

I would not be honest if I did not also say that however much of time, of labor, and of love I have given to my Alma Mater, I am still Wesleyan's debtor. My life, early bereft of its normal interest, has found in her an anchorage, and for this anchorage I must be eternally grateful. For this reason I always feel humble and not a little guilty when I accept any words or token of appreciation.

Nevertheless I am immensely pleased and very happy in this honor.

Those of you who know Wesleyan's history know that her wealth has always been in the lives of men and women who have been willing to spend themselves in her behalf.

If I have aspired to be one of the least of these, it is of a desire to be in some small measure a little worthy of the name I bear.

I have often thought it would be fine to have Dr. Cook conduct my funeral.

He welcomes one into heaven so graciously that death seems almost desirable. He, as you have heard, makes continuing to live so challenging that I trust I may be permitted to dream dreams and see visions.

Alumnae Day

Saturday, May 31, was Alumnae Day at Wesleyan. At 11:00 a.m. the seniors in their caps and gowns marched into the chapel with the alumnae whom they had selected to light their candles, symbolic of the passing on of alumnae privileges and responsibilities to the youngest class.

Annie (Gantt) Anderson, president, spoke the words which Catherine (Brewer) Benson used in addressing the class of 1888 at Wesleyan, known today as "The Benson charge."

"Young ladies of the graduating class, demands will be made upon you which were not made upon us. Your training, if you are true to it, will amply qualify you to meet these demands. No wiser blessing could I make for you than that you may be true to every God-appointed work."

A memorial service was held for those alumnae who have died during the past year. Emma (Drew) Clay and Lila May Chapman were in charge of this service. A silver vase of Madonna lilies was placed on the stage in memory of the alumnae and their names were called. The alumnae were grieved to learn of the death on the preceding day of Winifred (Rosser) Moye, A.B. '24, who was to have taken part in the senior induction ceremony, lighting the candle for her niece, Betty Rosser, a member of the graduating class.

A feature which interested all alumnae from the oldest to the youngest was the delightful reminiscences of Jamie (Frederick) McKenzie, A.B. '97, as she introduced her classmates, the Fiftieth Anniversary Class. She wore a dress and hat of 1897, and told of the changes that have taken place since her college days. Her classmates were on the stage with her. Members of all reunion classes were greeted with applause as they were asked to stand.

Another honor guest was Miss Minnie Octavia Koets of Holand, daughter of Professor Koets, former teacher at Wesleyan. Miss Koets was visiting Alice (Burden) Domingos and Octavia (Burden) Stewart in Macon. She was named for their mother, Minnie (Bass) Burden,

A.B. '74.

Miss Elizabeth Varley of the Wesleyan voice faculty sang a Mozart aria.

The speaker of the morning, one of Wesleyan's own alumnae, was introduced by Mary Dudley (Fort) Colley, vice-president.

"A Korean Woman Views the Post-War World"

Induk (Kim) Pahk, A.B. 1928, delighted her audience as she used to in her student days. Many of her listeners knew her, her college friends who had come back for the occasion, her former teachers, the members of the Ruby Sharp Rosser Bible class at Mulberry Street Church who gave her a scholarship when she was in college.

She talked first about her work since she left Wesleyan, telling in a simple and unassuming way of her travels throughout the U. S. and abroad for the student volunteer movement, and of her organization of cooperative groups in Korea to help the poor of her country, of her teaching of Christ's principles as she worked to get bread for the hungry. She expressed her appreciation to Wesleyan and to Dr. W. F. Quillian who was president during her student days for making it possible for her to come to America to study, and to Mrs. Quillian who was her sponsor during her college days.

Then she told of the political situation in her country, of the bitter struggle in Korea between communism and democracy. She believes strongly that democracy, which she calls "the political expression of Christianity," can and must win out in this struggle.

"We must," she says, "have the same enthusiasm, zeal, and vision that the communists have. The spread of Christianity and democracy must be a mission with us as the spread of communism is with them. We are inclined to be placid and optimistic about the outcome; they are constantly hammering away. We say, 'Man cannot live by bread alone,' but they know that you cannot say that to a hungry man and expect him to listen. We must be compassionate; we must be alert. And we must join hands with the other Christian people of the world to bring about the new and better world we know is possible."

Alleen (Poer) Hinton read the revised Constitution and By-Laws of the Alumnae Association Incorporated, which was voted on and accepted by the alumnae body.

Dorothy (Blount) Lamar, Alumnae Trustee, told of the plans for an alumnae building and presented a resolution from the Committee recommending that the alumnae take up again their plans for such a building, begun in 1927 and set aside during the years of the greater needs of the college.

Virginia (Townsend) Munford, treasurer, presented to Dr. Silas Johnson the annual gift of the alumnae through their Loyalty Fund, amounting to date to more than \$13,000. Kay (Bailey) Burts presented the Atlanta Club's gift of \$3,600 from their presentation of Alice in Wonderland. Doris Marsh, president of the senior class, gave the class gift of a flagstone walk to the college.

Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore was presented as the new Alumnae Trustee of Wesleyan by Mary (Nicholson) Ainsworth, retiring Alumnae Trustee.

The Alumnae Luncheon

The Alumnae adjourned to the Rivoli campus for lunch in the college dining room, reunion classes sitting together at tables especially marked for them. Elizabeth (Loyall) Woods and Linda (Anderson) Lane, co-chairmen of arrangements for the luncheon, were assisted by many of the Macon alumnae as hostesses and as committees for decorations.

Baccalaureate Sunday

According to a custom of many years, the Sunday Commencement service was held at Mulberry Street Methodist Church, where many of Wesleyan's presidents have held pastorates.

Dr. Edwin S. Mims, professor emeritus at Vanderbilt University, author, lecturer, and literary critic, spoke on "Jesus, the Master of the Art of Living," moved his hearers with one of the most powerful commencement sermons ever given at Wesleyan.

Graduation Exercises

The old college bell rang according to tradition as the class of 1947 and the faculty and trustees marched in academic procession on Monday, June 1 for the graduation exercises.

The speaker for the occasion was James H. Gray, editor and publisher of The Albany Herald, a young man born in Springfield, Mass., and graduated from Dartmouth College with Phi Beta Kappa honors. While stationed in Georgia as a member of the armed forces, he became interested in the south, and after his discharge purchased the Albany paper and settled in the state. He spoke with discernment of the world situation today and of the hope for a solution for many ills through the young people of the present.

Awards and Honors

The following girls were graduated with honors:

Summa cum laude, Anne Carlton, Oxford, Ga.

Magna cum laude: Jane Anne Mallet (daughter of Mary (Lane) Mallet), Jackson, Ga.; Harriet Loeb, Atlanta, Ga.; Jean Parkins (who was awarded a scholarship her freshman year by the Columbus Wesleyan Club); Anne Halley, Reynolds, Ga.; Willene McGee, Morgan, Ga.

Cum laude: Virginia Bell (daughter of Estelle (Darden) Bell), Sandersville; Barbara Binns, Columbus; Sally Bowen, Newnan; Emily Britton, Camilla; Julee (Struby) Burke (daughter of Julia (Riley) Struby), Macon; Betsy Chipman, Miami, Fla.; Peggy Derby, St. Petersburg, Fla.; Geraldine Farrar, Macon; Margie Gibbs, Martinez, Ga.; Annabelle Jarrett, Adairsville, Ga.; Jean Lowe, Ormond, Fla.; Lamar McCaw, Diamond Point, N. Y.; Rosa Schofield, Macon; Sara Smith, Decatur; Betty Thompson (daughter of Anna Mary (Jamerson)

Thompson), Waycross; Betty Whitehead, Carlton, Ga.; Adeline Wood, Rocky Face, Ga.; Margaret Woods (daughter of Susie (Fountain) Woods), Reynolds, Ga.; Lois McGeachy, Tampa, Fla.; Lucretia McGibony, Greensboro; Betty Hall, Decatur; Eleanor Hawk, Jacksonville, Fla.; Jettie Palmer, Waynesboro; Betty Shipp, Macon; Eugenia (Corley) Simmons (daughter of Malda (Roberts) Corley), Macon; Merle Sosna, Knoxville, Tenn.; Rosemarie Thomas, New York, N. Y.; Janice Walker, Athens, Tenn.

The Phi Delta Phi Honor Society of the liberal arts college elected the following members: Anne Carlton, Peggy Derby, Harriet Loeb, Jane Anne Mallet, Lamar McCaw, and Jean Parkins.

The Mu Alpha Omega Honor Society of the school of fine arts elected: Anne Halley, Betty Shipp, Willene McGee, Merle Sosna, Lois McGeachy, Jettie Palmer, and Betty Hall.

The Ross-Walker Award for excellence in written English, endowed by Hermione (Ross) Walker of the class of 1892, was



WESLEYAN ALUMNAE AND THEIR SENIOR DAUGHTERS

Front: Georgann Dessau and Frances (Stevens) Dessau.

Second row, left to right: Malda (Roberts) Corley and Eugenia (Corley) Simmons; Cornelia (Adams) Heath and Eva Heath; Mary (Lane) Mallet and Jane Anne Mallet; Mildred (Shy) Perry and Marjorie Perry.

Third row: Gray (Goody) Worsham and Martha Worsham; Beulah (McMath) White and Mary White; Julia (Riley) Struby and Julee (Struby) Burke; Anna Mary (Jamerson) Thompson and Betty Thompson.

(Three mother-daughter pairs were absent when this picture was made: Estelle (Darden) Bell and Virginia Bell; Lois (Hart) Wheeler and Lois Wheeler; Susie (Fountain) Woods and Margaret Woods.)

given to Adeline Wood, Rocky Face, Ga.

The WMAZ Radio award of \$100, given by this station each year for outstanding work in radio, went to Grace Thompson, Wrightsville, Ga.

Awards of \$100 each are given each year to the highest ranking students in each class. These were as follows:

At the liberal arts college: junior, Peggy Beeson; sophomore, Emmie Carlton and Ruby Lee Layson; freshman, Carroll Bounds, Elisabeth Kinney, Martha Ann Wood.

At the conservatory: freshman class: music, Jacqueline Pilcher; art, Martha Sheppard; speech, Martha Stroberg; sophomore class: music, Eugenia Poole; art, Adele Dippy; speech, Elizabeth Cook.

Annabelle Jarrett of Adairsville received the full tuition scholarship to Wesleyan Conservatory.

Of Alumnae Interest

Twelve members of the graduating class of 1947 have received scholarships from Wesleyan alumnae at some time during their college careers, seven of these graduating with honor.

Two members of the class, Georgann Dessau and Martha Worsham, represent the fourth generation of their families to come to Wesleyan.

Twelve members of the class are daughters of alumnae, and these girls had their mothers to light their candles in the induction ceremony. (A picture of alumnae mothers and senior daughters appears in this magazine.)

Among the Seniors of 1947

In the graduating class of 1947 were the daughters and granddaughters of many Wesleyan alumnae.

Virginia Bell is the daughter of Estelle (Darden) Bell of the class of 1906, Sandersville, Ga.

Georgann Dessau represents the fourth generation of her family at Wesleyan. Her great-grandmother was Geraldine (Lamar) Gilmer Bibb, 1845; her grandmother, Fannie (Gilmer) Dessau, 1878; her mother, Frances (Stevens) Dessau, 1908. Four aunts and two sisters also came to Wesleyan.

Eva Heath's great-grandmother was Eva (Pou) Heath, 1856; her mother, Cornelia (Adams) Heath, 1913, of Washington, D. C. Five of her aunts attended Wesleyan.

Jane Anne Mallet, who has been awarded a fellowship for graduate study at Emory, is the daughter of Mary (Lane) Mallet, 1917, of Jackson, Ga. Her sister, Emily, is a Wesleyan student today and three aunts are alumnae.

Marjorie Perry is the daughter of Mildred (Shy) Perry, 1913, of Macon.

Betty Thompson, who has been awarded a scholarship in journalism at Emory University next year is the daughter of Anna Mary (Jamerson) Thompson, 1926, of Waycross.

Julee (Struby) Burke is the daughter of Julia (Riley) Struby, 1910, and her mother-in-law is Lora (Waterman) Burke, 1921. She is the niece of a Wesleyan alumna, too.

Lois Wheeler is the daughter of Lois (Hart) Wheeler, 1924, of Macon.

Mary White is the daughter of Mattie Beulah (McMath) White, 1919, of Jacksonville, and her two older sisters have already graduated at Wesleyan.

Margaret Woods is the daughter of Susie (Fountain) Woods of Reynolds, and has two Wesleyan alumnae aunts.

Martha Worsham represents the fourth generation of her family at Wesleyan. Her great-grandmother was Sarah (Carver) Rogers, 1858; her grandmother, Hattie (Rogers) Goodwyn, 1887; her mother, Gray (Goodwyn) Worsham, 1918. Six aunts and great-aunts came to Wesleyan, and the late William Rokenbaugh Rogers, beloved trustee of Wesleyan for many years, was her great-uncle.

Eugenia (Corley) Simmons, who received the B.F.A. degree, is the daughter of Malda (Roberts) Corley, 1926, of Macon.

Alumnae Scholarships

Graduating this year were a number of girls who have held scholarships given by the Wesleyan alumnae.

Virginia Bell had the Sidney Lanier Scholarship, given by **Dorothy (Blount) Lamar** in 1943.

Peggy Derby had the Charles Rush Jenkins Scholarship, given by **Ruth (Houser) Garrett** in 1943.

Eva Heath had, during her freshman year, the **Sallie B. Comer Lathrop** Scholarship, given by this alumna of Alabama.

Jane Epps held one of the **Atlanta Club** Scholarships her freshman year.

Emily Britton, Eugenia Corley, and Jeanne Gerner were honored with **Macon Club Scholarships** their freshman year, and Emily later held the Dickerson Moore Scholarship, given by **Marian (Cook) Murphey** of New York.

Jean Parkins had the **Columbus Club** Scholarship her freshman year.

Jo Patterson held the **Octavia Burden Stewart** Scholarship in art, given by this alumna.

Lamar McCaw had the **Nora B. Huffman** Scholarship, given by this alumna in 1943.

Annie Chu Lin has held the DuPont Guerry Scholarship, given by **Eling (Soong) Kung** in memory of former President DuPont Guerry.

Jane Anne Mallet has held scholarships given by **Linda (McKinney) Anderson** and **Linda (Anderson) Lane**. Jane Anne has also held the **Phi Delta Phi** Scholarship.

Gladys Tarpley has held the Leila Davis Copelan Scholarship, given by **Mary (Copelan) Evans**.

Anne Carlton and Elizabeth Lundy were two of the recipients of the Methodist Church Scholarships in 1946.

Class Reunions in 1947

The first class reunions since the war years were small as compared to the grand affairs of the "good old days," but as times goes on we expect to have alumnae back in increasing numbers for Commencement. This year we invited back the Golden Anniversary class of 1897, two classes which were in college with the Alumnae Day speaker, 1927 and 1928, and four classes which should have held their tenth reunion during the war years or afterward, 1934, 1935, 1936, and 1937. We asked someone from each class to write up the reunion, and are using all that have come in as the magazine goes to press.

Some alumnae came for all the commencement activities, some were able to come for one or more of the events. We can never be sure that we have spotted

them all, but here is the list of those we counted as "present:"

1897

Jamie (Frederick) McKenzie, Montezuma
Vera (Clinton) McBirney, Tulsa, Okla.
Annie (Felder) Jelks, Savannah
Sadie (Almand) Tucker, Lithonia
May (Vinson) Walsh, Montezuma
Bertha Wood, Montezuma
Rosa (Guerry) Snowden, Forest Hills, N. Y.
May (Nottingham) Lawton, Macon
Mary Jo (Cooper) Little, Macon
Annie (Sanford) Allen, Macon
Ruth Clark, Macon

1927

Frances (Bush) Brubaker, Macon
Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook, Atlanta
Virginia McJenkin, Atlanta

Margaret (Fowler) Patton, Short Hills, N. J.

Eva O'Neal, Macon

Berthine (Osborne) Whitehead, Comer

Sue (Moore) LeRoy, Augusta

Lois Birch, Macon

Marguerite (Miller) Herndon, Macon

Virginia (Arnall) Moody, Newnan

Bessie Zuber, Macon

Mildred (Gower) Sims, Atlanta

1928

Induk (Kim) Pahk, Korea

Mary Lou (Reynolds) Arnold, Warren-ton

Salome (Anderson) Farrar, Macon

Roberta (Jones) Gardiner, Macon

Florimel (Williams) Herndon, Durham, N. C.

Maude (McGehee) Hogg, Marietta

Enna Morris, Macon

Marguerite (Matheson) Nichols, Ft. Myers, Fla.

Virginia (Banks) St. John, Newnan

Aileen (West) Willingham, Macon

Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins, Macon

Anne (Hoyl) Upchurch, Raeford, N. C.

Mary Alfriend, Macon

Dorothy Alexander, Macon

Blythe McKay, Macon

Lucille (Lyon) Callaway, Columbus

Dolores (Jackson) Davis, Boston, Ga.

Katherine (Rountree) Christian, Tifton

Suzanne (Wilhelm) Ferguson, Tifton

1934

Ruth (Key) Butler, Atlanta

Elizabeth (Ramsey) Foster, Birmingham, Ala.

Marie (Cochran) Hayes, Atlanta

Hayes (Fowler) Lawton, Soperton

Wray (Shepherd) Marsh, Macon

Sally (Jones) Pafford, Atlanta

Anita (Beall) Tudor, Macon

Mildred (Kendrick) Mathews, Ft. Valley

Frances (Cook) Sanders, Monroe

1935

Mary Dozier, Macon

Dorothy (Beall) Maffeo, Macon

Eleanor (Anthony) Solomon, Macon

Dr. Laura Lipscomb, Atlanta

1936

Adele Conner, Macon

Geraldine (Garrett) Jordan, Macon

Ethelena (Jackson) Brown, Macon

Lash Fowler, Soperton

Frances (Brooks) Worley, Macon

1937

Margaret (Evans) Knox, Thomson

Julia Love (Purvis) Russell, Augusta

Katherine (Hall) Arnold, Griffin

Nina (Tabor) Dorsey, Abbeville

Geraldine (Dorsey) Culpepper, Cordele

Virginia (Scott) Estes, Columbus

Helen (Majors) Jeter, Macon

Billie Wilkinson, Atlanta

Helen (Ouzts) Dupree, Augusta

Clara (Young) Jordan, Macon

Katherine (Alfriend) McNair, Macon

Margaret (Mitchell) Edwards, Macon

Evelyn (Shell) Crowley, Atlanta

Hazel (Birch) Harrison, Macon

June (Hobbs) Spann, Macon

Margaret (Odom) Rader, Macon

Anne (Griffin) Gatewood, Americus

Martha Ruth Livingston, Macon

Sue (Billingslea) Warlick, Macon

The Golden Anniversary Class Reunion

Everyone, from the oldest alumnae to the class of 1947 who were just-about-to-become-alumnae, enjoyed the presentation of the class of 1897, by Jamie (Frederick) McKenzie in her costume of that period. With great charm and vivacity she told of some of the differences in her college days and those of today, and kept her audience in gales of laughter. We asked her to write her speech as she remembered it, and regret that all alumnae could not have heard her give it in person. Sh writes:

"I can't remember all I said. I was just happy and carefree. I wore my old dress again, as I wore it at the 1927 reunion. The only remarkable thing about it was 'I was in it.' I had to say the length was the same, but not the breadth. The hat was of my graduation Commencement, but was not worn at my graduation, of course. Now it was to cover the 'silver threads.'

"On behalf of my class, I felt that we wanted to say we owed much to Wesleyan, not only for its scholastic gifts, but for the culture received from its Christian influence, environment, precept, and example when we were student there.

We learned to value not only the three R's' but also the three 'C's'—Christianity, culture, and courtesy.

"We still know that 'the square of the hypotenuse is equal to the sum of the squares of the other two sides;' we can quote from 'Hamlet,' recite 'Abou Ben Adhem,' trace Paul's journeys, tell of 'All Gaul and its three parts' (Gracious, how many parts now!), and conjugate those Latin verbs that used to worry us so. But also we know that our college education fitted us better to face life's problems, and we know that we are better women, better mothers, and better citizens because we studied at Wesleyan,



THE GOLDEN ANNIVERSARY REUNION CLASS

Left to right: Sadie (Almand) Tucker, Ruth Clark, Rosa (Guerry) Snowden, Corinne (Lawton) Jordan, May (Vinson) Walsh, Jamie (Frederick) McKenzie, Annie (Felder) Jelks, May (Nottingham) Lawton, Vera (Clinton) McBirney, Bertha Wood.

and because we came under the splendid Christian influence of those great men and women, our teachers.

"I've been asked what is the most radical change in the Wesleyan of 1947 over the Wesleyan of 1897. It is this: young men walking on the campus as if they belonged there—young men actually, I am told, studying as regularly enrolled members of the student body at the Conservatory! Why we of 1897 never opened the lower blinds in our rooms, never spoke to a young man on the streets, even if we knew him full well. (At least, now that it is too late for demerits, maybe we did sometimes, on the q.t.) Never did we walk on the front porch except on Sunday night between supper bells.

"We are thrilled over the campus at Rivoli with some private baths, (one to a floor we had, and 'take your turn' as you could) its mirrored closet doors, lovely floors and walls and twin beds! We reveled in these luxuries as we enjoyed the hospitality at Rivoli and found the girls 'going places' as they pleased. We

had to gather news of the great world outside from those dear day pupils who often slipped a dainty morsel to the boarding pupils along with the news of the city!

"In conclusion I wish that all of the class of 1947 could come back to their 50th Anniversary reunion, and find Wesleyan still the great college that we find it. 'And may you feel, as we do, that you owe a lasting debt of gratitude to your Alma Mater for educational advantages and appreciation of life's best gifts, Christianity, culture, and courtesy'."

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Overheard at Commencement: Several people saying to Jamie, 'We could hear you even on the back row of the chapel.' She answered, 'here's why: I studied 'Expression' under Miss Iva Blaydes at Wesleyan, and she sat on the back row in chapel when I was on the stage and said, 'Speak so I can hear you.' So I learned 'how,' thanks to her of blessed memory. If there had been any 'majors' then I would say I 'majored' in oratory and I've enjoyed it all my life!'

The Reunioners Tell of Commencement 1897

When Jennie Loyall asked me to write this article about our class reunion, I really felt flattered, yet hesitant. I'm afraid I shall seem too enthusiastic, and maybe egotistical. You see, I had such a wonderful time and was so happy to be there again and see again the "girls of 1897" that I most probably shall give this account a very personal viewpoint.

First about those of us who were there, and then messages from those who could not come. Of a class of 33 graduates, 22 are answering "present" and are filling places of responsibility and service in many different states.

Ruth Clark and Lula Hardeman are Macon members of our class. Lula had hoped to be with us, but was out of town at that time. Ruth is busy and smart as always and looks just as you'd remember her. In fact, all the girls knew one another at once. Time had not dimmed the eye nor lessened the happy smile. Even the "silver threads among the gold" added charm. Ethel (Brown) Massee also sent regrets and was missed.

Annie (Sanford) Alen was with us for the Alumnae Meeting, and looked well. On the program was a mention of the newspaper of 1865 which she recently gave to Wesleyan.

"On time" as always were Corinne (Lawton) Jordan and May (Nottingham) Lawton. We always associated them together and it is sweet that in life's journey they are sisters-in-law. Corinne is one of the great-grandmothers of the class and had much of interest to tell of her fine children, grandchildren and two great-grandchildren. May has grandchildren, too, and May is a business woman. She has made a great success of hand-made baby caps and garments under the trade name of "La May." They are most beautifully made, and you know May would have them perfect. We went to see the samples.

Mary Jo (Cooper) Little lives in Macon, and is a very busy woman, too. She has two daughters, three sons, and several grandchildren. Her daughter, Elizabeth (Little) Baker, is a Wesleyan alumna.

Vera (Clinton) McBirney came all the way from Tulsa, Oklahoma (flew, at that!) Her handsome son, Donald, president of a bank in Tulsa, came with her. Vera, whom we all remembered as one of the class beauties, still holds her good looks, even though she, to, boasts of grandchildren. She writes: "I am thrilled with my trip. I do hope next year's

Grandmas will have just as much pleasure as we did. My four years at Wesleyan did not teach me enough adjectives to half-way express my appreciation for such a happy visit."

Rosa (Guerry) Snowden came from New York and what an interesting family she has! Some grandchildren, too. Rosa's mother, Mrs. DuPont Guerry, widow of a former president at Wesleyan, is in her nineties, and has been in a nursing home in Macon for a long time, but is cheerful and gracious, and enjoys visits from her friends.

Annie (Felder) Jelks as always, is ready to laugh over all the jolly experiences of college days, such as the time she rushed out to investigate some excitement and found herself a part of the "out-of-the-room-after-gas-bell" group. We recall that she didn't "squeal" but took her restriction gallantly. Believe me, there wasn't much that Annie missed at college! She is living in Savannah just now with her son, and has several grandchildren.

May (Vinson) Walsh lives in Montezuma now when she isn't with her pretty daughter and grandchildren in Washington, D. C. May also holds her good looks and is active in church, civic, and club life in Montezuma.

Bertha Wood has led a busy life being a teacher, then a government employe. Now she is reaping her reward for the mothering of her orphaned nephew whom she educated for he lives with her in Montezuma.

I felt it a great privilege and pleasure to present the class on Alumnae Day in the old chapel, eight of them. Each gave her name and address, and I wish we'd had time for each one to tell many things of interest in her life during these fifty years. We had a get-together ourselves afterward and talked everything over.

As for my own family, I have three sons and three grandchildren. One son is a lawyer in New York, the second lives in Montezuma, and the third is a Lt. Col. with the army of occupation, now stationed with his family in Germany.

Messages came from many of our absent classmates. Minnie (Parker) Zetrouer has been a successful teacher in Florida for a long time. Lula (Houser) Holladay lives in a lovely home in Atlanta. Susie (Martin) Catchings lives with her daughter in Atlanta, and still keeps up her music.

Irene (Hand) Corrigan lives in New York; we had hoped all along that she would come, but she wrote her regrets

at her inability to be with us. Mabel (Ballenger) Klunder sent her regrets from New Jersey.

Lena (Wood) Lengnick lives in Beaufort, S. C., and would have come but was visiting her son in Honolulu at that time. Era (Monk) Bryan of Texas, sent regrets, as did also Lena Armstrong of Atlanta. Susie (Simmons) Dykes, Montezuma, was disappointed at the last minute that she couldn't come because of illness in her family. She has three children and three grandchildren.

We had hoped to have Viera (Griffin) Collier again, but she is in far-away Texas.

Some of our beloved members have been called to their Heavenly Home since our reunion in 1927. We missed each one. Our Class President and wonderful leader, Edith (Stetson) Coleman, seemed with us in spirit and we felt her dynamic enthusiasm and interest and recalled her splendid leadership and personal hospitality at our last reunion. Her good husband, Sam Coleman, came to our reunion, and it was a joy to have him.

Being at Rivoli was like turning the pages of life and seeing a new college life built with the spirit and ideals of the days we loved. I am so proud of each member of our splendid class! You honor Wesleyan, as Wesleyan honored you. May life still hold much of happiness, suc-

cess, health and good fortune for each of you, and may we have many more reunions together!

Jamie (Frederick) McKenzie,
Class Secretary.

Reunion of 1927

How could I have had any qualms about going back to Class Reunion? How could I have been so stupid as to think, during my Junior and Senior years at Wesleyan, that alumnae seemed a bit on the "matronly" side—a trifle uninteresting! Instead of adding twenty years of age, the alumnae and friends with whom I spent two happy, unforgettable days seemed to have added twenty years of poise and charm. I will confess the students seemed extremely young!

There was only one flaw in the reunion of 1927—we were too few in number. Many ears must have burned as names, incidents, and events of our four years at Wesleyan were recalled by the twelve of us who were there.

Virginia (Arnall) Moody came from Newnan for the luncheon. She left her two red heads, Virginia, 8, and Walker, 4, with her mother.

Berthine (Osborne) Whitehead of Comer said that with church, clubs, "doing society" and cooking for her husband, she's a very busy gal. She agreed with

me that the girls of '27 are still girls, even though these twenty years have rushed by.

Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook said June 3 was an important day to her because on that day her young son, Charles McClatchey, who was, two in March, would begin nursery school, and that same evening his eighteen-year-old brother, Gene, Jr., would be graduated from Boys' High in Atlanta.

I quote Virginia McJenkin: "I can't brag about any children of my own, but I do have a bit to do with a nephew that is almost mine. Then, too, I am kept busy buying library books for all the youngsters in the Fulton County schools."

Mildred (Gower) Sims had pictures of two lovely daughters, Claire, 11, and Carolyn, 13. She lives in Atlanta.

Lois Birch, Macon, is teacher of the sixth grade at Alexander IV.

Sue (Moore) Leroy has a most interesting sounding family of girls, Caroline, 5, Martha, 3, and Suzanne, 4 months.

Eva O'Neal is doing personnel work at the Greenville Army Air Base in Greenville, S. C.

Marguerite (Miller) Herndon's husband is superintendent of the Academy for the Blind in Macon. She teaches typing at the Academy. They have two children, John, Jr., 9, and Jean, 6.

Bessie Zuber of Macon has divided her



REUNION OF THE 1920's

(1927 and 1928)

Front row, left to right: Virginia McJenkin, Bessie Zuber, Lois Birch, Marguerite (Miller) Herndon, Virginia (Arnall) Moody, Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook, Marguerite (Matheson) Nichols, Katherine (Rountree) Christian, Suzanne (Wilhelm) Ferguson, Induk (Kim) Pakh, Florimel (Williams) Herndon, Salome (Anderson) Farrar, Virginia (Banks) St. John.

Back row: Sue (Moore) LeRoy, Lucile (Lyons) Callaway, Eva O'Neal, Addie Funderburke, Enna Morris, Mildred (Gower) Simms, Mary Lou (Reynolds) Arlond, Blythe McKay, Maude (McGehee) Hogg, Margaret (Fowler) Patton, Dolores (Jackson) Davis, Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins.

time since graduation between teaching and office work. At present she is bookkeeper for a tree business.

Short Hills, N. J., has been my home for years now. We think our husky Yankees, Bill, 15, and David, 9, are good reasons for forgetting there used to be a Mason and Dixon line.

It would be nice if the members of the class who couldn't be present at the reunion would report what they are doing. Let's begin planning right now for another and bigger reunion soon!

Sincerely,

Margaret (Fowler) Patton

Reunion of 1928

Time played tricks on us and provided us with an extra-special kind of sight. We seemed to be standing at a cross-roads of life from which we could see quite plainly in two directions, in one our college days crowded with memories and in the other the busy days since then. It was fun—refreshing and rejuvenating. College atmosphere really does something for you. This renewal of associations deepened an inner thankfulness for my own college days.

Of course our class was conspicuous because we could claim the honor guest of Alumnae Day, our own Induk Kim. Still gracious and friendly, she also still has that essential quality of greatness—humility. We felt proud of her quite obvious pride in her class of '28. She remembered each one and had something to recall about old times individually as she greeted us with her warm smiles. Her presence, together with the fact that part of the Commencement festivities was held at "Old Wesleyan" greatly enriched the meaning of the occasion to us, the last liberal arts class to graduate at the old school.

At the alumnae luncheon at "New Wesleyan" there was much passing of snap shots of our families, always with delighted "ohs" and "ahs" at the future Wesleyannes or the eligible beaux for them! Not only the children of our classmates were attractive, but it seemed to me that each one of our class had grown better looking and more charming. Maybe it's because "Life begins at —!" Do I have to write it down?

On my left at the luncheon was Flormel (Williams) Herndon from Durham, N. C. She boasted of four fine daughters; three of them came with her and stayed with friends in Macon. On my right was sweet Salome (Anderson) Farrar of Ma-

con who was showing a photograph of her high school son. Across from me sat Maude (McGehee) Hogg of Marietta, who has a son six and a daughter one. Down the table was Sue (Wilhelm) Ferguson of Tifton telling about her young son taking the part of the little boy in an Uncle Remus entertainment. Near Sue sat Virginia (Banks) St. John of Newnan giving us some of the facts about how busy she stays as the mother of a lively son and wife of a doctor. There was Roberta (Jones) Gardiner of Macon looking as young as ever and telling us that her daughter, Allee, will be at Wesleyan in the fall. Anne (Hoyle) Upchurch from Raeford, N. C., also looked so slim and youthful it was hard to believe this is nineteen years later!

Katherine (Rountree) Christian came up from Tifton. She is not teaching now, she said. Mary Lou (Reynolds) Arnold of Warrenton showed us pictures of her children. Her husband died last year, and Mary Lou is carrying on his furniture business. She has two daughters, Sandra, 10, is an accomplished pianist and also sings, and Emelyn, 5, was given an award in Augusta recently for her tap dancing. Mary Lou hopes to send both girls to Wesleyan. Marguerite (Matheson) Nichols of Ft. Myers, Fla., told us about her son, a student at Emory Academy. Lucille (Lyon) Callaway from Columbus, gentle and poised, was there. Tall, stylish Dolores (Jackson) Davis from Boston, Ga., chatted gaily with Blythe McKay, who slipped away from her desk as society editor of the Macon Telegraph to be with us. Mary Alfriend and Dorothy Alexander were together. Mary is doing a grand job teaching at Miller High School in Macon, and Dot has the responsible position of librarian at Bessie Tift College.

Attractive Enna Morris of Macon was also with us, and gracious Aileen (West) Willingham.

Commencement in '47 made Wesleyan of '28 dearer than ever to us who could be present, and gave us another happy memory of Wesleyan always to be cherished!

Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins

Reunion of 1935 and 1936

You should have been there. Those of us who were had a wonderful time catching up on the news of each other and swapping notes on you who weren't, but we missed you. Most of us, though we

live in Macon, seldom find time to get together and reminisce, so the words flew—especially when we were joined by Dr. Laura Lipscomb and Lash Fowler. "Sig" is a pediatrician practicing in Atlanta and Lash just returned home last October from Panama where she served the government for three years. She plans to manage a quick-freeze plant for her father in Soperton. The Maconites at the luncheon were Mary Dozier, Dorothy (Beall) Maffeo, and Eleanor (Anthony) Solomon from the Class of '35 and Geraldine Garrett Jordan, Ethelena (Jackson) Brown, and Adele Conner from '36. Frances (Brooks) Worley attended the Alumnae meeting at the Conservatory but was unable to join us for lunch.

Adele Conner

Reunion of 1937

Vowing to turn over a new leaf as regards keeping my class up-to-date on the whereabouts and activities of its members, I am writing this before my good intentions become just good intentions and not actual printed copy.

While about me my four and six year old daughters are making a noisy effort to entertain my eight-months old son, I am attempting to keep as well as, give my wits.

The reunion of the class of '37 was well worth all the effort of depositing children among the neighbors, getting up at 6 A.M. to do all those last minute things that have a way of taking hours to finish, taking care that I was well equipped with the latest photographs of said children and driving back over the well-remembered highway to Wesleyan.

A remarkably large number of our class were on hand to renew old acquaintances and reminisce on the days when the class of '37 reigned supreme at Wesleyan. (Do I hear a storm of protest from classes '34, '35, and '36 after the above statement?)

All present unanimously agreed that time had dealt very kindly with us—hardly a grey hair, a matronly figure or a squeaky joint among the lot of us. It was noted, however, by one and all, that the soccer field looked twice as long, the distance to class rooms far greater, the dormitory stairs much steeper than ten years ago.

Talk among the returnees was mainly of children, husbands, children, jobs, children, servants and news of absent classmates who were unable to return.

Oddly enough, I was not the only one with an array of photographs. Seemed photographers did a thriving business prior to this class reunion.

A highlight of the day was the lovely tea given by Margaret (Odom) Rader, Sue (Billingslea) Warlick and Mrs. Akers, our class sponsor, at Margaret's beautiful house on Forsyth Road. In that one short hour we did a pretty good job of catching up on "what" has happened to "whom" in the past ten years.

Just a few impressions of the day—Seemed so natural to see Gerry (Dorsey) Culpepper, Nina (Tabor) Dorsey, Evelyn (Shell) Crowley, Katherine (Hall)

Arnold and Billie Wilkinson strolling into the dining room for lunch. Billie is the career girl of the bunch. It might pay to keep in touch with her. She's working in an Atlanta Bank.

The Macon girls, looking very attractive despite the long, hard trip out to Wesleyan, were Kathryn (Alfriend) McNair, Margaret (Mitchell) Edwards, Sue (Billingslea) Warlick, Margaret (Odom) Radar, Hazel (Birch) Harrison, Clara (Young) Jordan, June (Hobbs) Spann, Martha Ruth Livingston and Helen (Majors) Jeter. Martha Ruth's another one of our group who's making a name for herself in the business world.

She has what sounds like a wonderful job with a very high-sounding title in a large department store in Dayton, Ohio. She insists it isn't nearly as big as it sounds but we know it means she's quite a gal.

Hazel (Birch) Harrison has been awfully busy the past ten years—having acquired a husband, a daughter, a turtle and rabbits, none of which have been noted in our class notes. Don't see how we could have failed to record such an impressive list of achievements. Here's hoping they continue to multiply!

Anne (Griffin) Gatewood looking very much the prosperous, young doctor's wife, delighted me with news that we



REUNION OF THE 1930's

(1934, 1935, 1936, 1937)

Front row, left to right: Virginia (Scott) Estes, Elsie (Lowden) Maxwell, Helen (Majors) Jeter, Julia Love (Purvis) Russell, Hazel (Birch) Harrison, Marie (Cochran) Haynes, Mildred (Kendrick) Mathews, Kathryn Richardson, Sally (Jones) Pafford, Anita (Beall) Tudor, Helen (Ouzts) Dupree.

Second row: Katherine (Alfriend) McNair, Nina (Tabor) Dorsey, Geraldine (Dorsey) Culpepper, Katherine (Hall) Arnold, Margaret (Mitchell) Edwards, Elizabeth (Ramsey) Foster, Wray (Shepherd) Marsh, Laura Lipscomb, Ruth (Key) Butler, Dorothy (Beall) Maffeo.

(And we deeply regret that the back row can be seen only in part, and are almost unrecognizable. The one in the round white hat is Hayes (Fowler) Lawton, next to her, Frances (Cook) Sanders, then the top of Pinkie (Evans) Knox's black hat, then the forehead and white hat of Clara (Young) Jordan, then Anne (Griffin) Gatewood, the forehead and hat of Evelyn (Shell) Crowley, then Billie Wilkinson. And we could be wrong about some of our guesses!)

have identical families as to quantity, assortment, sizes and ages.

Judy (Purvis) Russell of Augusta, without too much urging proudly displaying a picture of Jane, her attractive two-year-old daughter.

To mention only a few of those absent and greatly missed—

Harriet (Wright) Sutton who is living in New Orleans at this writing, but hopes soon to come back to Georgia—South Georgia, of course!

Park (Culpepper) Lee who couldn't leave Bill and her two boys but promises to attend all other reunions.

Sara (Harrell) Johnson who's back in

Lake Wales since the end of the war.

Rose (Peagler) Porter who lives in Waycross with her attractive family.

Sara Hammons who's making herself quite indispensable as secretary to the president of a large company in Brunswick.

This could go on and on but already I'm afraid the Alumnae office will be forced to publish a special edition as a result of this resolution of mine to make up for ten years of almost complete silence from the class of '37.

Pinkie (Evans) Knox,
Class Secretary.

The Loyalty Fund in 1947

The fiscal year will not close until August 31, 1947, so the following should not be considered a final report on the funds. All alumnae who have not contributed to date may be counted as contributors to this year's Loyalty Fund by sending in their gifts to The Alumnae Office, Wesleyan College, before August 31. A final list of contributors will be printed in the fall issue of The Wesleyan Alumnae.

To date—

682 individuals and 6 Wesleyan clubs
have contributed
\$17,034.27

Class with the largest number of donors1946 with 25

Class with the largest total gift1918 with \$1,506.00

Class with the largest percentage of givers1886

(There are 15 living graduates in this class. Ten of these, and two non-graduates who were in the class have given to the Fund this year.)

Last year 771 alumnae contributed \$22,534.58, so we still have a long way to go to match our record of 1946!

Is your name on the list of contributors? If not, please send in your Loyalty Fund gift right away. We must not fall below what we know we can do for Wesleyan!

1873—\$1.00
Ida (Frazer) Turrentine
1875—\$5.00
Kittie (Jewett) Williams
1877—\$15.00
Lula Mobley
1878—\$5.00
Alice (Brimberry) Bussey
1880—\$8.00
Ida (Crosland) Nottingham
Harriott (Freeman) Griswold
Eddie (Truman) Swann
1881—\$1.00
Josephine (Whitehurst) Rozar
1884—\$10.00
Love (Moreland) Leigh
1885—\$39.00
Annie (Cargill) Cook
Gift honoring Annie (Cargill)
Cook, from Frances Strohecker
Lena (Everett) Phillips
Marion (Luse) Chenery
Rosa (Stovall) Parker
Janie (Weston) Chapman
1886—\$98.00
Anne (Allen) Johnston
Lynn Branham
Annie Belle (Cox) Lanier
Stella (Duncan) Cater
Blanche (Hall) Neel
Annie (Hyer) Coleman
Annie May (Mallery) Andrews
Minnie (Morgan) Bailey
Ada (Murphy) Pound
Minnie Fay Rice
Emma O. Smith
Minnie (Wilcox) Anderson
(All gifts from 1886 in memory
of their classmate, Kate Neal)
1887—\$30.00
Sallie Boone
Julia (DeLoach) Ver Nooy

Jessie (Munroe) Dickey
Carrie Sessions
Daisy (White) Lumpkin
(Memorial gift from her daughter, Lila Lumpkin, '19)
1888—\$80.00
Anne (Bates) Haden
Clara (Boynton) Cole
Nan (Carmichael) Beeland
Eddie (Crittenden) Wooten
Mamie (Haygood) Ardis
Louise (Morse) Riddle
Alice Napier
Carrie Speer
1889—\$17.00
Kate (Davidson) Roberts
Mamie (Hawkins) Jones
Imogene (Walker) Hannah
1890—\$215.00
Agnes Barden
Alice (Barfield) Herring
Lila May Chapman
Mamie (Feagin) Harmon
Lillian (MacDonell) McKay
Ida (Mangham) Coleman
Ella (Parker) Leonard
Hattie (Sausy) Sausy
Addie (Smith) Munro
Nimqui (Williams) Smith
1891—\$249.00
Adela (Barkesdale) Ware
Mary R. (Bowden) Addy
Sallie B. (Comer) Lathrop
Mary Carr (Gibson) Comer
Mattie (Huff) Jennings
Mary (Nicholson) Ainsworth
Birt (Thomas) Park
Mary Culler White
1892—\$37.00
Fannie (Freeman) Taylor
Annie (Lin) Foster
Louie (Link) Cason

Daisy Peddy
Byrdie (Revill) Mallory
Gertrude (Roberts) Anderson
Mary Bond Smith
Fannie Belle (Vinson) Vinson
1893—\$1,188.00
Stella Daniel
Loula (Evans) Jones
Mary E. Gramling
Emily (Kline) Shipp
Linda (McKinney) Anderson
(Memorial gift from her husband, William D. Anderson)
Rosalie (Marshall) Mitchell
Susie (Middleton) Corbett
Mattie (Moore) Northcutt
Bessie (Munroe) Davidson
Eloise (Nicholson) McIntosh
Minnie Robertson
Florrie (Smith) Evans
Lenna (Stevens) Manley
Theodosia Tinsley
1894—\$57.00
Bettie Lou (Carey) Bloodworth
Belle (Collins) Hemphill
(Gift in memory of her sister,
Mattie (Collins) Barnes, 1895)
Nina (Fish) McCleskey
Julia Goodall
Lula (Johnson) Comer
Lucy (Keen) Johnson
Bessie Lawrence
Carrie (May) Davis
Julia (Napier) Adams
Mamie (Robinson) Felton
Sallie (Shinholser) Miller
Julia M. Sparks
Mary Maude (Wilder) Trawick
1895—\$14.00
Sarah (Bowden) Allgood
Sallie (Daniel) Dodds
Mary (Pickett) Pickett
Janie (Porter) Strother
1896—\$71.00
Eva Arnold
Nell (Collier) Space
Lena (Heath) Jones
Lorena (Jaudon) Combs
May (Kennedy) Hall
Grace (Mann) Bell
Jessie Streyer
1897—\$64.00
Sadie (Almand) Tucker
Ruth Clark
Vera (Clinton) McBirney
Jamie (Frederick) McKenzie
Irene (Hand) Corrigan
Irene (Jewett) Bridges
May (Nottingham) Lawton
May (Vinson) Walsh
1898—\$134.00
Berta (Carroll) Atkinson
Lillian (Crittenden) Sears
Lucy (Evans) Stephens
Harriet (Goodman) Harman
Ada (Heath) Montgomery
Nina (Lively) Hendricks
Eugenia (Pace) Bell
Eloise Pickett
Margaret (Plant) Hatcher
1899—\$14.00
Bertha I. Beal
Irene (Murph) Banks
Lula (Stephens) McFarlane
1900—\$10.00
Louise (Frederick) Hays
Josie (Reid) Brooks
Corra (Weston) Wilcox
Mary Lucy (White) DeJarnette
1901—\$32.00
Mary Belle (Adams) Davis
Claudia (Clark) Clark
May Allen King
Mary (Park) Polhill
1902—\$33.50
Eddie Lela (Gramling) Perkinson
Mattie (Hatcher) Flournoy
Tommie Lee (Hightower) Stallings
Mary Addie (Murph) Mullino
Annie (Williams) Pearce
1903—\$51.00
Maud (Allen) Wall
Kate Cooper
Kathryn (Dean) Lee
Elizabeth (Graves) Bethune
Mozelle (Harris) Jackson
Bessie (Houser) Nunn
Clyde (Killebrew) McNeill
Camille (Lamar) Roberts
Lois (Little) Fleming
Frances (Nunnally) Napier
1904—\$87.00
Kate (Callaway) Malone
Hennie May (Crittenden) Bell
Fannie (Harris) Wallace
Louise Lin
Annie (McGuire) Beall
Louise (Montfort) Kilpatrick
Minnie M. Pate

- Ella (Reese) Phillips
Leona (Snyder) Davis
Tommy Louise (Turner) Craft
Martha (Weaver) Sutton
Elizabeth (Wilson) Newton
1905—\$152.00
Nell (Bachman) Phlegar
Aline (Bradley) Boykin
Mae (Cook) Wilcox
Sadie (Flowers) Jennings
Ella (Gruelle) Hopper
(Sent after her death by her husband)
Clio (Mable) Cates
Anne (Shaw) Richardson
Essie (Skellie) McCook
Ophelia (Smith) Guerry
Lillian (Solomon) Roberts
Estelle (Stevens) Mason
Hope Wilder
Alice (Williams) Benton
1906—\$696.00
Leila Birch
(Gift in memory of her mother, Leila (Caldwell) Birth, A.B. 1881)
Marilu (Beckham) Wing
Octavia (Burden) Stewart
Annie Jean (Culbreath) Cotton
Louie (Penn) Woodward
Eliza (Hill) Martin
Mozelle King
(Gift in memory of Maria (Weaver) Burks)
Martha (Lewis) Kaderly
Louise (Monning) Elliott
Gena Riley
Jennie (Riley) Crump
Belle Sanders
Louise Thomas
Sarah (Tinsley) Ross
Winnie (Wall) Tucker
1907—\$62.00
Mary (Balkcom) Brown
Sara (Branham) Matthews
Mattie (Chappell) Lawton
Anne England
Willie (Ermingher) Mallary
Kittie (Jewett) Budd
Odille (King) Dasher
Elizabeth (Moseley) Coles
Claire (Monroe) Bates
Adele Salley
Lucy (Twitty) Stevens
1908—\$126.50
Mattie (Adams) Buchanan
Louie Barnett
Alice (Burden) Domingos
Bess (Copeland) Griffin
Louise (Ermingher) Harris
Margaret Evans
Alma Fennell
Fannie (Hill) Walker
Florence (Howard) Domingos
Maybelle (Jones) Dewey
Clyde (Malone) Cohen
Newell Mason
Irma (Neal) Little
Regina (Rambo) Benson
Myrtle (Smith) Olliff
Lucy (Stanley) McArthur
Mary (Richards) Sullivan
Frances (Stevens) Dessau
May (Urquhart) Peacock
1909—\$725.00
Nonie (Acree) Quillian
Flora (Carter) Turner
Jessie (Hollingsworth) Walton
Carolyn (Marchman) Connally
Eling (Soong) Kung
Annie (Turner) Hightower
1910—\$1,023.00
Jennie Daughtry
Sarah Lee (Evans) Lippincott
Anna Belle (McCrory) McKellar
Adelia W. Nicholson
Madge (Rayle) Slaughter
Julia (Riley) Struby
Lucile (Singleton) Guthrie
Cornelia B. Smith
Virginia (Willingham) Wood
1911—\$19.50
Carrie L. Brown
Hazel (Hamilton) Rogers
Gladys (Napier) Corbin
Mary (Ponder) Hatch
1912—\$1,238.00
Ollie (Barmore) Kincaid
Sadie Burch
Ruth (Calhoun) Shackelford
Ruth (Dix) Whigham
Emma (Gaillard) Boyce
Kathleen (Hudson) Garner
Martha (King) Johnson
Jennie Loyall
Marie (McManus) Kernaghan
Rosalie (Mallory) Willingham
Lucile (Ray) Lawton
Walter (Tilley) Pierce
Carrie Lee Waddell
1913—\$66.00
Cornelia (Adams) Heath
Elizabeth (Baker) Taylor
Katharine P. Carnes
Helen (Cater) Farmer
Annie (Dickey) Jones
Annie (Gantt) Anderson
Gladys (Garfield) Tubbs
Ona (Moore) Strozier
Martha (Plant) Ross
Mrs. W. O. Reeves
Florence Smith
1914—\$1,224.00
Eloise (Cooper) Cannon
Emma (Drew) Clay
Lucile (Flournoy) Truitt
Lettie Fryar
Lucile (Harrison) Beggs
Kathleen (Holder) Griffin
Sophie Mae (Lambdin) Coppedge
Marie (Merritt) Moore
Sarah (Newton) Yates
Helen (Parker) Walker
Ruth (Radford) Launius
Mary (Robeson) Boardman
Genevieve (White) McCreary
Helen E. White
Margaret (Wikle) Butler
Eliza (Wise) Stetson
Evelyn (Wright) Banks
1915—\$73.00
Nell (Aldred) Snavelly
Ruth (Beeland) Jackson
Mary E. Brown
Mary (Coates) Haffenden
Ruth (Gresham) Chew
Florrie (Griffin) Carmichael
Frances (Holden) Morrison
Carolyn (Knight) Dodd
Willie Mae Little
Annie Lois (Stowe) Fleming
Leila (Whatley) Hinton
1916—\$47.00
Gladys Anthony
Christine Broome
Nell (Ethridge) Lawrence
Althea (Exley) Gann
Lila Franklin
Vera (French) Shaffer
Eloise (Greer) Rice
Rosa (Wooten) Henderson
1917—\$340.00
Mary Pearl (Chance) Hopkins
Evelyn (Collier) Cason
Edith (Culpepper) Turpin
Elizabeth (Davenport) Plant
Olive (DeFoor) Britain
Ruth A. Elder
Marian (Elder) Jones
Irene (Kilpatrick) Tanham
Agnes (Morrison) Kennon
Sarah (Newton) Yates
Mary Ella (Ryder) Chancellor
Mary Alice (Strange) Daniel
Helen (Stubbs) Bridger
1918—\$1,506.00
Margaret (Atkinson) Clark
Ray Ballard
Ruth (Benedict) Watson
Katharine (Cleckler) Arnold
Marian (Cook) Murphy
Adelle (Dennis) Dickey
Lois (Dismuke) Hudson
Gray (Goodwyn) Worsham
Ruth (Houser) Garrett
Kathryn (Hanson) Dye
Elizabeth (Hudson) Glass
Vail (Jones) Weems
Helen (Phifer) Glass
Pauline (Pierce) Corn
Mary Kline (Shipp) McGehee
Sara (Singleton) King
Marguerite (Urquhart) Smith
1919—\$363.00
Linda (Anderson) Lane
Irene (Brinson) Munro
Lucia (Chappell) Domingos
Irma (Clark) Newton
Louise (Evans) Jones
Marie (Griswold) Whaler
Rosaline (Jenkins) Gilmore
Martha Kelley
Mary Frank (McClure) Chandler
Benji (Mathias) Martin
Bessie (Tappan) Farris
1920—\$251.95
Ruth (Benton) Persons
Beulah (Hall) Jenkins
Mary (Harrison) Gillespie
Annalu Hightower
Grace (Larramore) Hightower
Lucile Pierce
Beulah (Smith) Jenks
Hazel (Stokes) Thompson
Anne (Willingham) Rawson
1921—\$52.00
Fannie (Cantey) Duggan
Anita (Davis) Tuten
Margaret (Evans) McDonald
Margaret (Jones) Roddenberry
Fayne Moore
Mabel (Woodward) Douglass
1922—\$78.00
Elizabeth (Benton) Davis
Vera (Brown) Thompson
Gladys (Dismuke) Newman
Josephine (Evans) Miller
Jeannie K. Jewell
Evelyn (Flournoy) Doster
Martha E. King
Kate (Lyons) Ainsworth
Marguerite (Roberts) Malcolm
Irene (Sewell) Hobby
Lydia (Tanner) Weaver
Marian (Weekes) Harris
Mary (Wilson) Adams
1923—\$164.00
Emily (Barfield) Pridgen
Genevieve (Broome) Jones
Floy (Cook) Stephenson
Ruth Field
Laura (Fraseur) Knight
Hazel (Fulghum) Akers
Elizabeth (Jones) Williamson
Martha (Lifsey) Garrett
Mary Jane (McGinnis) Carter
Mildred (Scott) Dykes
Mary (Taylor) Peeples
Mildred (Taylor) Stevens
Pearl (Woodruff) Langley
1924—\$55.00
Louise Ballard
Lillian (Budd) Jackson
Marion (Cooper) Fesperman
Lillian (Crawford) McKenzie
Arline Harris
Ruth Kelley
Mildred (McCrory) Mitchell
Olive Dent (Manget) Bramblett
Mary Miller
Margaret Richards
1925—\$105.00
Hattie (Branch) Sibley
Lulawill (Brown) Ellis
Maryella Camp
Mary Louise Collings
Martha (DeLay) Kennedy
Harriet (Evans) Southwell
Katharine Harman
Stella (Johnson) Ambrose
Maggie Ellen King
Helen (McNatt) Bradley
Eunice Thomson
Matthyde (Wilson) Clifton
Elizabeth Winn
1926—\$97.00
Dorothy (Allen) Lund
Sulee (Barnum) Weldon
Lois (Bell) MacDonell
Emily (Brown) Edwards
Frances (Cater) Snow
Helen Gibson
Lola (Hagood) Davis
Lavada Harper
Freda (Kaplan) Nadler
Katherine (Lowe) Clarke
Re Lee (Mallory) Brown
Elizabeth Peck
Helen Perdue
Elise (Spoonier) Avera
1927—\$69.75
Virginia (Arnall) Moody
Frances (Bush) Brubaker
Elizabeth (Coates) James
Elizabeth (Davies) Crow
Margaret (Fowler) Patton
Frances (Horner) Middlebrooks
Lucetia (Jones) Hoover
Gladys (Lewis) McElveen
Virginia McJenkin
Sue (Moore) LeRoy
Mary (Myers) Brill
Berthine (Osborne) Whitehead
Carma (Pilcher) Scarborough
Mary Bryan (Weaver) Arnold
1928—\$213.50
May (Ainsworth) Walton
Salome (Anderson) Farrar
Katherine (Armstrong) Bivins
Marion (Arnall) Roberts
Virginia (Banks) St. John
Lula (Boswell) Hailey
Elizabeth (Bragg) Sturdivant
Mary Louise (Foster) Swearingen
Addie Funderburke
Elizabeth (Gaston) Fish
Mamie (Gunter) Marshall
Nan (Hendricks) Small
Ruth (Kasey) Yost
Induk (Kim) Pakh
Olivia (McCarty) Gaines
Margaret (MacDonell) Farley
Maude (McGehee) Hogg
Mary Lou (Reynolds) Arnold
Katherine (Rountree) Christian
Margaret (Sprayberry) Herrin
1929—\$133.00
Clifford Clark
Merk Eula (Crow) Vandiver
Margaret Edenfield
Helen Kate (Forrester) Perry
Elizabeth (Gill) Blalock
Katherine (Gordy) Banks
Jennie (Greene) Mabry
Sara L. Lamon
Eleanor (McDonald) Elsas
Nancy (Maddox) Rivers
Ruth (Mann) Butler
Alice Silliman
Nancy Stewart
1930—\$186.00
Carolyn (Anderson) Pierson
Louise Bridges
Odille (Dasher) Phelts
Elizabeth (Edmondson) Buchanan
Minnie Lee (Herrington) Varner
Evelyn (Hobby) Mills
Geraldine Jackson
Evelyn (Latimer) Vaughn
Emily Orr
Helen (Ross) Dennis
Elizabeth (Scott) Hagan
LeVert (Shepherd) Eubanks
Lucile (Trowbridge) Marks
Cornelia (Turner) Thornton
Carolyn (Waters) Fulmer
1931—\$115.50
Elizabeth (Anderson) Belcher
Kay (Bailey) Burts
Carolyn (Blackshear) Wilson
Margaret (Boyd) Whitnel
Lottie (Bragg) Clarke
Julia Louise (Bryant) Evans
Martha Cooper
Elizabeth (Hall) Ingram
Martha (McCowan) Burnet
Elizabeth McNutt
Hazel (Macon) Nizon
Martha (Pate) Allen
Elizabeth (West) Rumbley
1932—\$40.00
Roberta (Cason) Cox
Estelle (King) Collar
Malene (Lee) Morgan
Louise (Pittman) Peabody
Dorothy (Quillian) Smith
Dorothy Simmons
Virginia (Townsend) Munford
1933—\$66.32
Mary (Griffin) Smith
Agnes (Highsmith) Ware
Sara (Jennings) Smith
Frances (Justi) Best
Suelle (McKellar) Swartz
Dorothy (Manget) Hogan
Margaret (Murphy) Martin
Christine (Quillian) Searcy
Floyd (Simpson) Holloman
Virginia (Stanton) Eyer
Anne Tucker
1934—\$127.00
Mary Lyles (Aiken) Knox
Anite (Beall) Tudor
Frances (Cook) Sanders
Ruth (Cox) Lantz
Elizabeth (Hall) Mason
Louise (Johnson) Burks
Louise (Kilpatrick) Zattau
Emette (Mason) Clisby
Julia (Munroe) Woodward
Mary Gray (Munroe) Cobey
Elizabeth (Ramsey) Foster
Marguerite (Rhodes) Smith
Emma (Stephens) Wilson
Charlotte (Tyus) Dekle
Viola (Willingham) Hightower
1935—\$162.00
Angela (Anderson) Criswell
Anne Banks Armand
Dorothy (Beall) Maffeo
Mary Dozier
Virginia McCook
(Memorial gift from her mother, Essie (Skellie) McCook, 1905)
Margaret (Munroe) Thrower
Ruth (Renfro) Williams
1936—\$29.50
Frances (Brooks) Worley
Adele B. Conner
Margaret Harrell
Roberta (Ingle) Jolly
Alley (Pendergrass) Cook
Rose (Pendergrass) Hillyer
Mildred (Shirah) Kight
1937—\$147.00
Katherine (Alfriend) McNair
Mildred (Brannen) Sanders
Lola (Calloway) Albright
Margaret (Evans) Knox
Anne (Griffin) Gatewood
Katherine (Hall) Arnold
Barbara Jones

Katherine (Kilpatrick) Lamar
 Caroline (Mallory) Ivy
 Sara Hill (Martin) Winn
 Betty (Nylen) McKeown
 Margaret (Odum) Rader
 Helen (Ouzts) Dupree
 Julia Love (Purvis) Russell
 Virginia (Scott) Estes
 (Gift in memory of Beth (Student) Nelson)
 Frances (Townsend) Skinner
 Billie Wilkinson

1938—\$76.00

Elsie (Andrews) Newsome
 Joe (Estes) Sherrill
 Annette (Gardner) Taylor
 Martha Bird Garrison
 Elaine (Goodson) Osteen
 Susan Magette
 Ruth Neil (Menges) Struble
 Eleanor (Moore) White
 Caroline (Nunn) Brown
 Mary Virginia (Peters) Taylor
 Margaret (Turner) Carroll
 Alberte Renee Wolf

1939—\$54.00

Virginia Anderson
 Ann Maria Domingos
 Margaret Gaillard
 Mary Leila (Gardner) Oliver
 Kathleen (Grady) Horne
 Joanna Johnson
 Billie (King) Epps
 Addie Rie McKellar
 Margaret McKinnon
 Maryan (Smith) Harris
 Louise (Wadsworth) Jeffcoat

1940—\$227.00

Alfred Merle (Dorman) Sauve
 Sarah Earle
 Elizabeth (Guy) Harris
 Lewis Lipps
 Sue (McLendon) Moyer
 Jacqueline McPherson
 Catherine O. Massie
 Lee (Rees) Buttram
 Ida (Stephens) Williams

1941—\$47.50

Lelia (Aiken) Tenney
 Ruth Brown
 Ruth (Certain) Turner
 Betsy Cook
 Kathryn (Hopper) Connolly
 Rachel (Johnson) Ross
 Ida Long Rogers
 Helen (White) Lindell

1942—\$61.00

Martha (Aiken) Pendergrast
 Mary Stewart (Becking) Smith
 Mary Frances Bell
 Alice (Burrowes) Ritter
 Ruth L. Corry
 Priscilla Lobeck
 Eleanor (Mason) Earle
 Jane Mulkey
 Martha (Rodgers) Hudson
 Margaret (Smith) Carruth
 Louie Frances Woodward

1943—\$124.00

Mary (Anderson) Comer
 Sav Moon (Choy) Harr
 Mary (Hall) Hearin
 Rosa Lee (Jones) Jay
 Norma (Koplin) Oliner
 Susan Monk
 Margaret Nalle
 Elizabeth Stillwell
 Margaret Sullivan
 Marion Taylor

1944—\$98.50

Geneva (Davidson) Smith
 Louise (Lamar) Wilkinson
 Yvonne (Lee) Thrash
 Jo Banks McKay
 Martha (McPherson) Piper
 Fran (Martin) Burns
 Dorothy Ann (Pim) Roth
 Carolyn Pitman
 Irene (Pound) Peden
 Ruth (Powell) Glass
 Elizabeth (Rycroft) Wood
 Frances Sanders
 Frances Shumate
 Margaret Spear

1945—\$91.50

Helene (Andrews) Arrington
 Wini Bosch
 Winifred Colquitt
 Wylene Dillard
 Pauline Domingos
 Lois Goldman
 Laurel Dean Gray
 Betty Hearn
 Eleanor Hoyt
 Helene (Jones) Schwartz
 Dorothy Lachmund
 Martha Martin
 Virginia E. Martin
 Jane (Methvin) Jones
 Marianne Nunn
 Jamie (Richards) McArdle
 Eva Spence
 Frances Thurman
 Dorothy (Wilkin) Repass

1946—\$180.00

Maryelle (Arnold) Burnett
 Dorothy Belle Barge
 Bess Bledsoe
 Mary Louise Davis
 Mae (Eason) Hall
 Jeanne (Gray) Romine
 Anne (Hoyt) Jolley
 Laura Jones
 Jacqueline (Lamm) Souder
 Shellie Lasseter
 Joy Lawless
 Sue Lott
 Tracy Mishoe
 Anne Morrison
 Mary Nunn
 Louise Pate
 Martha Rumble
 Ophelia Trice
 Joy Trulock
 Helen Walker
 Adelaide Wallace
 Jane Wallace
 Clifton Wight
 Peggy (Worley) Studwell
 Rebekah Yates

1937—\$8.00

Frances (Heslington) Walker
 Patricia Ann (McVey) Erlandson

1948—\$4.00

Betty (Gerow) Gawthrop

1949—\$1.00

Mary Aichel

Miscellaneous—\$3,742.75.

Atlanta Club
 Augusta Club
 Birmingham Club
 Columbus Club
 Jacksonville Club
 Washington Club
 Mrs. A. H. McBryle (Friend)
 Mr. Herbert P. Haley (Trustee)
 Anonymous

CLUBS

Atlanta Club

The Atlanta Club's sponsorship of "Alice in Wonderland" made news all over the South, and Kay (Bailey) Burts, President of the Club, received high praise for her splendid report at Commencement.

From the proceeds of this benefit the club gave to Wesleyan the largest single

gift ever made by an alumnae club—\$3,600, to be used as follows: \$1,000 for the Alumnae House, \$1,700 for equipment for the speech department, \$450 for the speech library, \$500 for scholarships.

Nonie (Acree) Quillian, 1909, was elected president of the club to succeed Kay (Bailey) Burts, and the club looks forward to a good year under her efficient leadership.

Augusta Club

The Augusta Wesleyan club held a silver tea at the home of Eloise (Guyton) Clark, '05, in April. The proceeds will be given to the Loyalty Fund for the Alumnae House at Wesleyan.

Mary (Campbell) Phillips, program chairman, presented Miss Virginia Jamieson, soprano, who sang several selections, accompanied on the piano by Mrs. Herman Dillard.

Willa (Daniel) Evans, '09, of Wadley, told of her recent visit to New York to see her classmate, Eling (Soong) Kung.

The Clark home was beautifully decorated with spring flowers. Lavender and purple iris carried out the Wesleyan color scheme.

Each guest was presented with perfume and a small package of Chinese tea which came as a gift from Madame Kung.

Brunswick Club

The Wesleyan Alumnae Club of Brunswick has taken on new life, and has many interesting plans for the future.

Sarah Hammons was elected president at a recent meeting of the club. Other officers are: vice-president, Mary Eunice Sapp; secretary, Mary Miller; treasurer, Sarah Griffin.

Columbus Club

Shirley Bartlett of Columbus was awarded the Anna Merritt Munro scholarship given by the club in honor of their member who was graduated from Wesleyan in the class of 1887.

Shirley is an outstanding member of this year's class in Columbus, editor-in-chief of the Blue Streak, student publication, member of the National Honor Society, of the Quill and Scroll, the Philosophers' Club, the Senior Tri-Hi-Y, and of the Latin Club. She received the Nunnally Johnson Award for superior work in journalism. She is a sponsor of the R.O.T.C.

A former recipient of the Columbus Club Scholarship, Jean Parkins, received her A.B. degree from Wesleyan with magna cum laude honors this year.

Macon Club

Belle (Ross) Valentine, president of the Macon Wesleyan Club, announced in June that Carolyn Smith, 1947 graduate of Miller High School in Macon, had been awarded a full tuition scholarship to Wesleyan.

Carolyn has been an outstanding stu-

dent throughout her high school career. When she graduated from junior high she received the Margaret McEvoy Cup. At Miller High School she was editor of the Miller Hi-Light, a member of Pyramids, gym assistant, member of the Crack Squad, secretary of D.O.M., member of the Thespians, member of the Beta Club, in the Honor Group.

She was highly recommended by her high school teachers for her scholarship, leadership, and fine spirit of cooperation and school loyalty. She has always wanted to come to Wesleyan and looks forward with great pleasure to her freshman year on the Rivoli campus.

At a Commencement meeting the Macon Club elected the following officers of the club:

President, Belle (Ross) Valentine
 First Vice-President, Frances (Cater) Snow
 Second Vice-President, Mildred (Goodrum) Heyward
 Third Vice-President, Eloise (Davis) Culverhouse
 Secretary, Rachel (Johnson) Ross
 Treasurer, Margaret (Murphey) Martin
 Chairman Group I, Sadie (Flowers) Jennings
 Group II, Emma (Drew) Clay
 Group III, Carolyn (Lawton) Harrell
 Group IV, Virginia Anderson
 Publicity Chairman, Freda (Kaplan) Nadler

School Children Visit Wesleyan

Wesleyan, like other colleges, welcomes to the campus many groups of school boys and girls who are learning first-hand about the schools near them. One group which came in May made an unusually good impression on their Wesleyan hosts. They were the sixth and seventh grade pupils from Jones County school.

Their teacher, Suellen (Morton) Boyette, A.B. 1920, of Gray, Ga., planned the trip and accompanied the children. The young people had been carefully prepared for the trip by hearing of the beginnings and early history of the college and some of the outstanding things about Wesleyan.

They were especially interested in the fact that Dr. Thomas Bogue Slade, who was a member of the faculty of Wesleyan when the college opened, had once had a "female academy" in their Clinton, in Jones County. He came with many of his

pupils to Wesleyan, and the more advanced young ladies entered the junior class and graduated in the first class, 1840. The children asked about a picture they saw in the Wesleyan library, and were delighted to learn that it was Dr. Slade.

The poise and genuine interest of the young guests, their excellent behavior as they visited library and classrooms on the campus, and their background knowledge of Wesleyan made their visit a pleasure to them and to the college personnel.

Wesleyan Alumnae Librarians

Virginia McJenkin covered herself with glory at the meeting of the Georgia Library Association in Albany March 26-28. She carried out a wonderfully planned meeting with grace and skill. Under her presidency (referred to by Miss Tommie Dora Barker, Dean of Emory Library School, as "brilliant" in its leadership) the Georgia Library Association has gone forward in real strides.

Virginia succeeded another Wesleyan alumna, Sarah Jones, as president, and Sarah was equally outstanding in this office.

Many Wesleyannes were in attendance at the meeting, for some of the most prominent librarians in the state are Wes-

leyan graduates. Among these are: Mary Clark, librarian of North Fulton High School; Elizabeth Whitehead, Fulton High School; Dorothy Alexander, Bessie Tift College; Katharine (McCamy) Powers, Washington Memorial Library in Macon (vice-president of G.L.A.); Katharine P. Carnes, Wesleyan College Library, and her assistants, Sara Lamon and Margaret Hatcher.

News of a Former Teacher

Many Wesleyan alumnae will be interested in news which came to the Alumnae Office in early May from Miss Louise Rivers, formerly of the English faculty. Miss Rivers resigned several years ago because of her health, and has made her home in Greenwood, S. C., with her mother. She writes that she herself is greatly improved, but that Mrs. Rivers has been ill recently. Both were better when the letter was written, however.

Miss Rivers tells of the death of her cousin, Mrs. Ethel Seago Welles of Wyandaling, Pennsylvania, a great-granddaughter of the late Bishop George Foster Pierce, first president of Wesleyan. She leaves a daughter, Jacqueline, now thirteen years old, who has planned since she was a very small child to come to Wesleyan some day for her college work.

Miss Maude Chaplin Dies

Wesleyan students and faculty members of the years between 1914 and 1945 will be grieved to learn of the death on June 19 of Miss Maude Frances Chaplin in Asheville, N. C.

Miss Chaplin organized the department of home economics at Wesleyan in 1914, and built it upon a sound basis. She was a graduate of Winthrop College, and received the B.S. and A.M. degrees from Columbia. Her students admired and loved her, and felt that she gave them a solid foundation for successful homemaking after they left college.

When she retired in 1945 because of her health, the alumnae presented her with a piece of silver in appreciation for her long and faithful service to Wesleyan. She and her sister, Eunice, who had taught home economics for many years at Winthrop College, bought a lovely home in Biltmore Forest, Asheville. Many of her Wesleyan friends have visited her there, and she has kept in close touch with the college. She was invited to come back this year for Commencement, but wrote that she could not make the trip. However, she urged friends to visit her

during the summer, and the telegram from her sister announcing her death came as a shock to all who loved her.

Her sister, Eunice, and the children of another sister who died some years ago, survive. She was buried on June 20 in Rock Hill, S. C.



Miss Chaplin at Wesleyan

About One of Wesleyan's Friends

The Wesleyan Christian Advocate for June 13 carried a picture and article about a Macon man who is one of Wesleyan's friends and benefactors, Henry Kaplan, father of Sylvia (Kaplan) Cohen, A.B. 1921, and Freda (Kaplan) Nadler, A.B. 1926.

Mr. Kaplan is one of the most beloved citizens of Macon, and the article is about his work for and gifts to the Methodist Home in the city. Having come to America himself as a boy with only a few cents in his pocket, he found friends and an opportunity to make a place for himself in business and in the community. He delights in sharing his means, as well as his time and interest, with people of all ages and creeds.

A loyal member of the Jewish synagogue in Macon, he has also for 40 years attended the Methodist Sunday School and been a member of the W. G. Solomon Bible class. At Christmas the class provides gifts for the children of the Methodist Home, but it was "Uncle Henry Kaplan" as he is affectionately called, who suggested that the class give each child a small amount of spending money each month. Largely through his efforts each child has a birthday celebration with refreshments, and "Uncle Henry" is a member of a committee which has provided a baseball diamond for the children.

In Wesleyan's financial campaigns, he

has given generously. His daughter, Sylvia, was on the Wesleyan English faculty after her graduation. His daughter, Freda, was editor-in-chief of the Wesleyan annual, and received magna cum laude honors on her graduation.

Now retired from business, Mr. Kaplan is happy to have around him most of his children, his four sons, outstanding young business men, and his younger daughter. Irving, Ira, Horace and Phil and their families have their own homes in Macon, and Freda with her husband, Charles Nadler, recently moved to Macon from Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Nadler, retired from his law practice, teaches law at Mercer and has a farm and a lovely home near Wesleyan. Sylvia, widow of a prominent Chicago physician, lives in that city with her two daughters, Mary Lee and Harriet.

Mr. and Mrs. Kaplan were among the guests at Wesleyan's dinner for Macon friends last fall, and they attend many of the college programs throughout the year.

The discordant world might well learn much from this man, who finds happiness and harmony in his Jewish faith and his Methodist interests. Like another Wesleyan benefactor, George I. Seney of New York, Mr. Kaplan feels about all his fellowmen: "They are my people; we are one people."

W E D D I N G S

Ball—Loveless

Virginia Ball, A.B. 1946, to Lawrence Manker Loveless of McCormick, S. C., in May.

Ballentine—Coleman

Lynn Ballentine, Conservatory 1949, to Donald Plant Coleman of Macon, engagement announced in April.

Barfield—Crenshaw

Katherine Barfield, 1947, to Minor Estes Crenshaw of Atlanta in June.

Betts—Leach

Virginia Betts, 1949, to John William Leach, Jr., of Atlanta in the summer.

Britton—Parker

Emily Britton, A.B. 1947, to the Rev. Pledger Wilson Parker of Valdosta and Camilla, July 1.

Browder—Williams

Ruth (Renfroe) Browder, A.B. 1935, to Harold Eugene Williams of Atlanta, May 3rd.

Bryant—Williamson

Lucy Bryant, 1946, to James Joseph Williamson II, engagement announced in April.

Busey—Hamilton

Edith Busey, 1947, to William Milton Hamilton of Gadsden, Ala., June 9.

Cassel—McNeil

Isabelle Cassel, 1950, to Charles Monroe McNeil of Kingsport, Tenn., December 27, 1946.

Chichester—Adams

Jeannette Chichester, 1947, to Lt. Randall Trevor Adams, Jr., of Macon, May 3.

Cline—Huie

Lucy Cline, A.B. 1941, to Arthur Huie, Jr., of Jonesboro, engagement announced in May.

Colton—Williams

Josephine (Trice) Colton, 1940, to Major Hensley Williams of Washington, D. C., in March.

Conner—Tucker

Elizabeth Conner, 1948, to Wilbur Irwin Tucker of Macon, June 14.

Davidson—Mansfield

Pauline Davidson, 1949, to John Arthur Mansfield, Jr., of Macon, in July.

Frazer—Pekkala

Dorothy Frazer, A.B. 1945, to Captain Ralph Olavi Pekkala of Maynard, Mass., and Ft. Bragg, June 7.

Fuller—Cunningham

Carolyn Fuller, 1947, to Clifford Whitfield Cunningham of Newnan and Atlanta, June 12.

Gibbs—Demmond

Margie Gibbs, A.B. 1947, to William B. Demmond of Savannah, June 14.

Hall—Dunn

Betty Hall, B.F.A. 1947, to Edward Derrill Dunn of Decatur, June 17.

Hall—Leach

Hall—Hoyt

Emma Louise Hall, Secretarial, 1945, to Henry Hoyt of Leachville, Arkansas, December 15, 1946.

Hallman—Jackson

Miriam Hallman, Secretarial, 1944, to Allen Shannon Jackson of Atlanta, to be married September 6.

Hicks—Boyd

Alice Hicks, 1948, to Durward Mays Boyd of Macon, June 11.

Hoyt—Dabney

Eleanor Hoyt, A.B. 1945, to John Cornelius Dabney, Jr., of Atlanta, June 25.

Kollock—McCall

Jane Kollock, A.B. 1946, to Guyton Bobo McCall of Perry, Florida, engagement announced in April.

Lake—Stephenson

Lilly Lake, A.B. 1943, to George Donald Stephenson of London, England, in May.

McCord—Tierney

Mary Scott McCord, A.B. 1946, to Richard Wesley Tierney of Charleston, S. C., and Miami, Fla., June 7.

McLean—Wilcox

Dorothy McLean, A.B. 1941, to Drury Reid Wilcox, Jr., of Lumber City, April 15.

Mays—Hull

Frank Mays, Conservatory 1949, to James Meriwether Hull, Jr., of Augusta, to be married September 2.

Mattison—Jones

Lou Mattison, A.B. 1946, to Harry Jefferson Jones, Jr., of Atlanta, in June.

Parham—McGee

Betty Parham, 1950, to Clarence Ernest McGee of Ft. Valley, June 20.

Pittman—Ferguson

Mary Pittman, 1947, to James Anthony Ferguson of Dawson, in May.

Riggins—Clary

Sarah Riggins, 1945, to William Thomas Clary, Jr., of Jesup, March 22.

Roberts—Ferdinandson

Marian Roberts, 1944, to Donald R. Ferdinandson of Chicago, in June.

Rumble—Pirkle

Martha Rumble, A.B. 1946, to Dr. Quentin R. Pirkle of Columbia, S. C., June 21.

Sanders—Richter

Frances Sanders, A.B. 1944, to Henry Wallace Richter of Macon and Dublin, June 12.

Scott—McGoldrick

Mildred Scott, A.B. 1947, to John Thomas McGoldrick of Macon, June 26.

Shipp—Anderson

Betty Shipp, B.F.A. 1947, to Murray Elmo Anderson, Jr., engagement announced in June.

Smith—Campion

Jane Roberta Smith, A.B. 1904, to Daniel Delbert Campion of Modesto, California, April 5.

Spearman—Struby

Jane Spearman, A.B. 1946, to Chester Albert Struby, Jr., of Macon in May.

Standifer—Meadors

Mary Standifer, A.B. 1945, to Jason Lawrence Meadors of LaGrange, May 22.

Stubbs—Holingsworth

Dorothy Stubbs, 1949, to Hansel Herbert Hollingsworth of Sylvania, June 28.

Tanham—Speer

Frances Tanham, 1946, to John Z. Speer of Augusta, January 4.

Thornton—Orr

Gloria Thornton, A.B. 1947, to Dr. William Wood Orr of Macon, June 6.

Tyus—Mallory

Joanne Tyus, A.B. 1944, to George Lee Mallory of Keokuk, Iowa, in June.

Wilkerson—O'Kelley

Angela Wilkerson, A.B. 1943, to John Frederick O'Kelley of Atlanta in the summer.

IN MEMORIAM

Louise (Conner) Pearson, 1886.

Ida (Wilbourne) Ray, 1886.

Clio (Mable) Cates, 1905.

Winifred (Rosser) Moye, 1924.

CLASS NOTES

1875

Kittie (Jewett) Williams celebrated her 87th birthday in April, and relatives and friends gathered in the living room around her wheel chair to bring her their best wishes. She has two devoted daughters, Duchess and Hannah, the former employed at Wesleyan in the business office, the latter, a returned missionary from China, working for Christ Episcopal Church in Macon.

1878

Wesleyan learned with sorrow of the death on March 29 of Jessie (Lane) Mathis of Americus after an illness of two weeks. She was greatly beloved by young and old in Americus, and was a charter member of the Central Baptist Church. She was the mother of two sons and three daughters. One grown son was killed in World War I, and the other, Evan Mathis, is president of the Citizens Bank in Americus, and is married to a Wesleyan alumna, Lois (McMath) Mathis, '20.

1884

Cornelia (Smith) Holtzclaw's granddaughter, Alnita Holtzclaw, was married in June to William Thomas Dyall of Cambridge, Mass.

1890

Wesleyan friends were grieved to learn of the death of Kate (Coleman) Hodge in April after a long illness at the home of her daughter, Sarah (Hodge) Haywood, B.M. '17, in Macon. Kate was a member of the Methodist Church in Henderson, and active in the religious and social life of the community. She taught a Bible Class for 48 years. Besides her daughter, she is survived by one son, Paul, and six grandchildren, one of them Kate Haywood, sophomore at Wesleyan College.

1891

Mary (Bowden) Addy of Decatur writes: "This week I have a particular reminder of my debt, musically, to Wesleyan. Our Decatur ensemble plays at Glenn Memorial for a benefit for the Methodist Children's Home. Edith (Sewell) Cole of Macon has been my partner at the piano all these years of very pleasurable music activity. I am just through annual auditions with the National Guild of Piano Teachers with over 20 pupils playing for Dr. Leroy Campbell, international music educator. I prepare pupils for college music and have

had three girls to get the National High School diploma in piano. I have taught for 56 years, and now have the most promising pupil in all my experience of teaching."

Ella (Gerdine) Jordan resigned as executive secretary of the Georgia Federation of Women's Clubs after 15 years in this position. She was paid a high tribute by the president for her faithful and efficient service, during the last several of which she has had the care of an invalid husband.

1893

Loula (Evans) Jones writes: "It is always a privilege to write the Loyalty Fund letters to classmates, and I enjoy the personal notes I get.

"Lula (Daniel) Leak lives in Winston-Salem. Her husband died ten years ago and she has no children. She lives in the home she and her husband built thirty years ago, and still enjoys her piano, radio knitting and reading. She treasures a class picture taken at Wesleyan and has it hanging in her sun parlor.

"Emile (Kline) Shipp lost her only son after a long illness. She lives in Miami with her daughters and two granddaughters. Her daughter, Mary, teaches in the Miami schools.

"Daisy Peddy, her sister, Louise (Peddy) Wadsworth and Louise's husband make their home together in Newnan. Daisy still has her music class, and my only little granddaughter is fortunate to be one of her pupils.

"Jennie Banks (Arnold) Baxter passed away in Utica, N. Y., about a year ago. She had made her home in Utica for several years."

1894

Maude (Wilder) Trawick writes from Spartanburg, S. C.: "The idea of reproducing the original building thrills me. My mother graduated there in 1864. I remember with reverence Dr. Bass, Prof. Newman, Mrs. Clifford Shinholser, Mrs. Burks and others. I have twin daughters, Louisa Trawick, on the teaching staff at Denison University, Granville, Ohio, and Catherine, Mrs. Herbert Vermillion, Beacon, N. Y. Dr. Vermillion is engaged as research chemist for Texico Oil Co. My grandson is three years old. Whenever my husband, a professor at Wofford College is asked about him he says, 'if you have an hour I'll begin to tell you about him'."

1895

Evelyn (King) Gilmore's son, Eddy Gilmore, Associated Press foreign correspondent who is chief of the Moscow bureau, won one of the eight annual Pulitzer prizes for journalism, the award for distinguished telegraphic reporting in international affairs.

1903

Kate Cooper has returned to Korea to her mission work.

Kathryn (Dean) Lee has retired after 20 years of teaching at Chicago University. "Adventuring in Art" was her first book for high school age children, and she is writing now a book for the junior college level. She is making her home in Alexander City, Ala.

Bessie (Houser) Nunn has published a new book for children, "Through a Child's Eyes." Her attractive young daughter, Bess, completed the work of the freshman class at Wesleyan this year.

1904

Ella May (Evans) Rogers' daughter, Dorothy, was awarded the degree Doctor of Philosophy at Duke University in May. She was also elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

Friends were surprised to learn of the marriage on April 5 in Los Angeles of Jane Roberta Smith and Daniel Delbert Campion of Modesto, Calif. Since 1934 she has served as the efficient librarian in Dublin. When the Library Association met in Augusta in 1941 she was honored by being named supervisor of the public library section. She extended her services to all clubs of Dublin, and was school librarian until 1943. For 14 years she taught the Men's Bible Class of the First Methodist Church, and was active in all church affairs. In 1940 she received the Mary McCants Memorial Award for her outstanding work.

1905

Nona (Johnston) Gresham is librarian at Edison College in Ft. Myers, Florida. She is the daughter of Lena (Shewmake) Johnston, of the class of 1876, and the granddaughter of Lizzie (Jones) Shewmake, also a Wesleyanne. Nona's daughter, Lena (Gresham) Stevenson, was in the class of 1930, the fourth generation of her family to come to Wesleyan.

Wesleyan friends will be grieved to learn of the death of Clio (Mable) Cates of Faison, N. C., on June 1 of a heart attack. She is survived by her husband and four sisters, one of whom is a Wesleyan alumna, Cliff Mable, Decatur, Ga.

1910

Sympathy is extended to Mattie May

(Tumlin) Niblack, '10, Winifred (Tumlin) Smith, '12, and Mozelle Tumlin, '15, in the death of their mother, Mrs. J. M. Tumlin of Thomaston, March 15.

1911

Frances (Davenport) Hudson's daughter, Frances Rylander, was married on April 12 to James Lee Bowen, Jr., of Tifton.

1913

Luride (Turner) Neal's husband, Roy I. Neal, resigned as head of the Macon Red Cross after serving for the past 11 years. During his leadership the unit has shown the greatest membership increase in its history, and has moved from a small basement room in the city auditorium to model headquarters on Holt Avenue. Mr. Neal received high praise for his fine work with the organization. The Neals' daughter, Nancy, was married in April to John Stacey Cotter, Jr., of Macon.

1914

Theodora (Atkinson) Cobb's youngest son, John B., Jr., was married on June 20 to Miss Jean Loftin of Newnan. He is just out of the army and studying at the University of Chicago.

Clara (Warfield) Stamps' daughter, Clare, was married in May to Gordon Stanley Field, Jr., of Atlanta in Thomaston.

1915

The engagement of Margaret (Akerman) Menard's daughter, Margaret, to Robert Edmunds Price of Bloomfield, N. J., was announced in May. She is a granddaughter of Minnie (Edwards) Akerman, 1889.

Annie Lois (Stowe) Fleming's youngest son graduated from high school this year. Her "middle boy" is at the University of Georgia, and the oldest is happily married and has just started out on his business career.

1917

Edith (Culpepper) Turpin's daughter, Edith, is on the faculty at Mercer, teaching French. She has returned to France for piano study with Robert Casadesus. During the winter she studied with Ralph Lawton at Wesleyan Conservatory.

1920

Sympathy is extended to Mary (Hatcher) Smith of Macon in the death of her little daughter, Weathersby, in an accident on February 10. The child ran into the road and was struck by a truck and killed.

1924

Maurine (Munro) Mauldin's daughter, Joanna, was salutatorian at the graduating exercises at Ellaville High School.

She is coming to Wesleyan as a freshman in September.

Wesleyan friends were shocked to learn of the death on May 29 of Winifred (Rosser) Moye of Cuthbert after a brief illness. She was a beloved and valued member of the faculty of Cuthbert High School, being teacher of dramatics at the time of her death. She had served as high school librarian and faculty adviser to the school paper. She had also been recording secretary for the Georgia Department of Women's Clubs, secretary of the Women's Clubs, regent of the Benjamin Hawkins Chapter of D.A.R., program chairman of the Garden Club, president of the P.-T. A., and member of the General John Floyd Chapter of the Daughters of 1812. She was a member of the First Presbyterian Church and leader of a circle in the Woman's Auxiliary. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mary Louise, two sisters, one of whom is a Wesleyan alumna, Lucy (Rosser) Herberich, A.B. '29, and a brother.

1925

Laree (Farr) Blanks' son, Bruce, graduated from the high school department of G.M.C. this year. She also has a little daughter, Patricia.

Frances (Peabody) McKay's second daughter, Anne, graduated at Clearwater High School in June, and will be a student at Wesleyan Conservatory in the fall. Mary will be a junior at Wesleyan, and Clifford Jr., is in high school.

1926

Lavada Harper is associated with Tupper and Love, Inc., book publishers of New York and Atlanta. Mr. Love now owns controlling interest in Foote and Davies, Inc., of Atlanta. Lavada recently sent to the Wesleyan library autographed copies of two of the firm's publications, "Together," by Katherine Tupper Marshall, and "Hi-Ya Neighbor," by Ruth Stevens.

1927

Sympathy is extended to Nettie Mae Bass and Bessie (Bass) Holland in the death of their father, Henry C. Bass, Sr., of Leesburg, in May.

Elizabeth (Davies) Crowe's young daughter, Mary Elizabeth, was presented with the Silver Star awarded posthumously to her father, Major Judson Brantley Crow, who was killed in the Philippines on April 15, 1942.

Julia Adelaide (McClatchey) Cook's husband, Eugene Cook, is Attorney General for Georgia. They have two sons, Gene, 18, who graduated from high school this year, and Charles 2.

Sue (Moore) LeRoy of Augusta has a daughter, Suzanne Franklin, born February 10.

1928

Sympathy is extended to Sara Lee (Edwards) Whatley in the death of her husband, Samuel J. Whatley of the faculty of Emory-at-Oxford of a heart attack on April 5. Professor Whatley had been serving very efficiently as reporter of the activities on the Emory campus for the press. Sara Lee has a daughter, Sara Lavinia, and a son, Samuel J., Jr.

Marguerite (Matheson) Nichols' son, Ben, seventeen years old, was a first year pre-med student at Emory-at-Oxford this year.

Evelyn (Sodders) Arnold and her four attractive children, Joanne, Harriet, Bill and Truman, Jr., stopped by Wesleyan on their way to Florida for a vacation. They live in Ohio.

1929

Alice Silliman has lived in Geneva, Ohio, for the past 16 years, and worked in the library there, first as assistant and now as head librarian. She took her library course at Chataqua Summer School. Her library serves both the school and the public, and Alice teaches the fifth and sixth grade students how to use the library. In her "free" time she keeps house with another girl, and does much gardening and church, being organist and choir director and teaching a primary class in Church School.

1931

Lottie (Bragg) Clarke's husband has a new position as herdsman at Pebble Hill Plantation in Thomasville, and the family moved there from Marshallville in June. Lottie's friends deeply sympathize with her in the death of a six-months-old son, Donald, last February. She has another little boy, Harvey, now ten.

Sara Ivey, who has been working on her Ph.D. degree at Louisiana State University for the past year, visited Wesleyan in June. She has a position for next year as director of the speech clinic at the Children's Memorial Hospital in Montreal, Canada, after which she expects to return to L.S.U. to complete her graduate in speech correction.

Sympathy is extended to Martha (McCowen) Burnet in the death of her father, Clarence D. McCowen, vice-president of the Joseph N. Neel Company of Macon, and long a civic and church leader. Mr. McCowen had a heart attack June 12 as he was driving home after a meeting of

the Boy Scout council executive committee.

Mary Ruth (Senter) Coleman has a daughter, Ruth Barton, born March 26. Mary Ruth's husband is teaching math at the University of Texas, and is studying music, with cello as his major. Their young son, Sam Senter, is five years old.

1932

Sympathy is extended to May Ware (Daley) Tyson in the death of her father, Elmer Edgar Daley of Wrightsville, in May. Two of Mr. Daley's sisters also came to Wesleyan, Pauline (Daley) Burch, '96, and Rowena (Daley) Burford, '08.

Betty (Hunt) Burts has a daughter, Inez Alice, born November 26, 1946.

Suelle (McKellar) Swartz writes: "I went to see Helen (McGrew) Fortney in Thomasville in May. She has two darling children, and keeps busy looking after them and their activities, besides her church and civic work. We also saw Carolyn (Vance) Riley and her girls; they are cute as can be.

"I saw Margaret (Murphey) Martin at church in Macon. At Christmas time we visited Dot (Tinsley) Daily and Maurice in Matanzas, Cuba. They are helping to establish a seminary sponsored jointly by the Presbyterian and Methodist Mission Boards and the W.S.C.S. Maurice is District Superintendent of the Havana District, and Dot, besides teaching in the seminary, is dietician and hostess there, in addition to her duties as mother and helping in many phases of the church work there.

"Bill and I came home by Jacksonville, Fla., and saw Carolyn Roth there. She is successful in her work in the State Department of Health.

"A note from Frances (Justi) Best reported that her two big girls helped her take care of Paul, Jr., and that Paul was enjoying his work at Lacrosse, Va.

"Bill's business, organizations, committees, and occasional golf game keep him busy. The four children consume most of my time, though I do try to keep up with the A.A.U.W., Woman's Club and other civic work. At present I'm working on the Cancer Control program. Billy (9½ years old) started his Cub Scout work, so I find myself a Den Mother. Besides Billy there are Anne, 5, Gene, 3½, and Suelle Marie, 14 months."

Katherine (Snooks) Walker was a prize winner in the Macon Flower Show in February, for an arrangement of peach

blossoms and Pink Perfection camellias.

1934

Mary Lyles (Aiken) Knox's husband, Peter S. Knox, Jr., of Thomson, is superintendent of the Methodist Sunday School in Thomson and as chairman of the building committee supervised the construction of the new \$77,000 Sunday School and Activities Building.

Marguerite (Rhodes) Smith has a second son, Robert Wallace, born February 22. The Smiths live at 27 Wilcox Ave., Yonkers 5, N. Y.

1936

Billie Ann (Carter) Burleigh's husband is practicing medicine in Marietta. Their third son, William Andrew, was born June 10. Dan is 5 and Eric 3½.

Adele Conner won a prize in the Macon Flower Show in February for an arrangement of white tulips and white camellias.

Sympathy is extended to Helen (Pafford) Bukowick in the death of her father who was a minister of the South Georgia Conference of the Methodist Church, on April 29.

1937

Frances (Townsend) Skinner writes in May: "Sherman has been called as pastor of the East Liberty Presbyterian Church in Pittsburgh. We are on a sort of second honeymoon these days for the manse is not ready for us, the boys are finishing school terms in Philadelphia, and we are living at the Schenley Hotel until June. My music is still very much a part of my life and Monday evening I shall give a benefit performance in Philadelphia. Having a husband who is also a beautiful accompanist makes practicing not only convenient but loads of fun. Our new church is a tremendous challenge and we feel there is much work to be done and are terribly excited over this new beginning. Isn't it wonderful about Grace (Freeman) Dennis' new daughter?"

1938

Joe (Estes) Sherrill lives in Atmore, Ala., where her husband has started a cattle ranch. Last year, when he was studying at the University of Florida after his discharge from the army, Joe enjoyed being with Martha (Golden) Brown, Beth (Arnold) McGehee, and Vivian Parker. Joe has a four-year-old daughter, Jean.

Ruth (Ingle) Warren has a new daughter, Nancy, born in April. The Warrens are living now at 223 Peavy Drive, Macon.

Azile (Parker) Alston has a new son, Samuel Russell Alston, born in May. The baby is the grandson of Marie (Harris) Parker, 1912.

Betsy (White) Van Dyck has a son, Edward Sims Van Dyck, born April 23. Betsy lives in Hampton, Virginia, where her husband is pastor of the Aldersgate Methodist Church.

1940

Evelyn (Dame) Bell's husband, John Sammons Bell, is assistant attorney General for Georgia.

1941

Eloise (Ainsworth) Gray was Wesleyan's official delegate at the inauguration of Robert Cecil Cook as the fourth president of Mississippi Southern College in Hattiesburg on March 28. She writes: "There were mobs of people just dripping with degrees. At the luncheon I was introduced, and of all the flowery speeches you ever listened to this was the one. Wesleyan and I certainly got plenty of publicity." The delegates marched in the order of the founding of their institutions, and Eloise was tenth in line, and of course, first representing a woman's college.

Pat (Jarratt) Abkarian and her husband live now in Mexico, the address: Ejercito Nacional No. 188, Dept. 308, Colonia Nueva Anzures, Mexico, D. F. Pat spent six weeks at home in Macon recently during the serious illness of her father.

1942

Maria (Hertwig) Durban of Aiken, S. C., has a daughter, Rosa Palmer, born March 4.

Alice (Burrowes) Ritter writes that her little son, Frederick Scott, called "Scott" has red hair like hers, but otherwise looks like Fred. She had lunch in New York in March with Ande (Davis) Bottarff when Ande and her husband were returning from Nassau.

Emily (Hearn) Webb has a son, Anthony Redding, born January 31 and called "Tony."

1943

Susan Monk writes in May: "Nobody could have been more startled than I was to read in the May alumnae magazine that I am studying for my M.A. at Emory! I rather wish it were true, for for many of my Wesleyan friends are there now. However, I ran across the item at the precise moment when I was tying a mental string around a finger to remind me to write you my change of

address. I'm moving to Washington, D. C. (Broadmoor Apts., 3601 Conn. Ave. N. W.) the end of this month to join my sister, who is working for our Congressman. I'm still working for the F.B.I., so I'll be seeing my freshman roommate, Marion Taylor, and probably some other Wesleyan girls.

"I had a visit from Bebe Davis ('43) just before Christmas. Eugenia (Davis) Ash is living in Ft. Lauderdale and has a little girl, Georgia, almost a year old. Beth Stilwell visited me and Frances Thurman in January. I called Ruth (Certain) Turner ('41) lately and learned that she has a son, Dickie, two years old. It was a shock to realize I hadn't seen Ruth in nearly three years—and we live in the same town! No wonder it's easy to lose track of those who are scattered all over the country. The magazine holds us together, I think, better than anything else."

1944

Billie (Cason) Matthews has a son, John Walker III, born June 4 in Columbus, Ga., where Captain Walker is stationed.

One of the oldest and most beautiful houses in Macon, known as the "Jerry Cowles Cottage" was recently bought for Betty (Dunwody) Sams by her father, Kenneth W. Dunwody. It has been dismantled and will be reconstructed on a new site in Rivoli. The house was built in 1830 for Jerry Cowles, one of the early trustees of Wesleyan, and is called by architects one of the "best examples of small home architecture of the early South." It is one of 12 houses in Macon whose plans are now in the library of Congress.

Joanne (Tyus) Mallory's husband is completing his education at Iowa State College in Ames, Iowa, and Joanne is registered as a special student. Their wedding trip took them to the Pacific coast and the Canadian Rockies. Many Wesleyan women took part in the wedding on June 21, and in the reception. Martha Amyx was one of the bride's attendants. Little Carol Few, daughter of Jeannette (Fluker) Few, was a flower girl. The bride's cousins, Gwendolyn Williams of Griffin and Charlotte (Tyus) Dekle of Millen received at the reception, and Mildred Bovaird, Mary Alice (Bennett) Long and Betty Roper assisted.

1945

Jane (Methvin) Jones writes: "When I attended 'Alice in Wonderland' in Atlanta it was a thrill to have Lilly Lake

and Jane Foley meet me at the door, and Jane Epps usher me to my seat. Lou Mattison and Dimple Brison made very attractive ushers, too. Incidentally, it was a wonderful performance!

"Martha Martin makes frequent trips to Atlanta. Mary Frances Webb is at Bellevue Hospital in New York continuing her nursing training. Saw Jean Mitchell and Snooks Whatley at the Sigmund Romberg concert. Eleanor Hoyt is engaged, and Pat (Jones) Schwartz is living in Pittsburgh. I am still working for a pediatrician and learning more about babies every day! My husband has been back from Panama since last July, and since that time has been employed by Minneapolis Honeywell Regulator Co., as sales engineer. He travels a great deal, but at least is not thousands of miles away."

Irene and Catherine Nell have both been studying art at Johns Hopkins University the past year, and have Civil Service positions in Washington, D. C., this summer.

Jamie (Richards) McArdle's husband is studying for his doctorate at the University of Minnesota, where Jamie has a research assistantship in physical chemistry. She is taking physical measurements of chlorophyll, and says that in that frozen country one of her chief worries has been finding enough greenery from which to extract the chlorophyll.

Cecile (Sutherland) LaMotte has a daughter, Linda Cecile, born June 6.

1946

Mary Nunn, who took a secretarial course at Wesleyan Conservatory, writes: "I'm so excited over the plans for an Alumnae Building! Having it like the original Wesleyan is perfect! As for news of me—I am going to Vanderbilt and enjoying it very much, yet how often I think of Wesleyan and all my friends there."

Bert Struby, husband of Jane (Spearman) Struby, and son of Julia (Riley) Struby, '10, was recently made state news editor and assistant city editor of The Macon News. He has been associated with the Macon newspapers since 1938 when he received the A.B. degree in journalism. He was on active duty in the navy for almost five years, serving 3½ years in the Pacific. He holds the rank of lieutenant commander in the Naval Reserve.

1947

Let us hear from you before the fall magazine!